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Showers Tuesday night and Wednesday; cooler.

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10 DIVISIONS IN ASSAULT

Third Army Units Reported Only 105 Miles From Berchtesgaden

By United Press

More than 2,000 American and French tanks crashed through the outer defenses of Hitler's Bavarian redoubt on a 200-mile front today in a blazing three-army drive that carried within 105 miles of the fuehrer's Alpine hideout at Berchtesgaden.

Headquarters revealed that one of the greatest armored striking forces in military history had been thrown against the Bavarian retreat where the hunted Nazi leaders were trying to gather their remaining SS divisions for the last battle of Europe.

The American Third and Seventh and the French First armies were advancing flank to flank through the outer Bavarian defenses on a battle line extending from the Swiss to the Czechoslovak borders, using possibly 10 or more armored divisions to spearhead the assault.

Flying tank columns of the U. S. Third army were far out in front of the Berchtesgaden drive, shredding through a 45-mile belt of Nazi defenses just west of the Czech frontier.

Rolling up advances of 18 miles and more in 24 hours, the Americans drove four miles past the German road center of Cham on their eastern flank to a point only 105 miles northwest of Berchtesgaden and 53 miles from Austrian soil.

The Third Army's right wing was closing fast on the great Danubian fortress of Regensburg, 62 miles northeast of Munich.

The Third army breakthrough overshadowed big gains by the American Seventh and French First armies farther to the southwest.

The Americans extended their Dillingen bridgehead over the Danube to a point 10 miles southeast of the river line and 47 miles northwest of Munich. They teamed up with the French to capture the Danubian city of Ulm and won a new bridgehead across the historic

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GENERAL CAPTURED

WITH U. S. NINTH ARMY, GERMANY, April 24—American troops cleaning out the Harz mountain pocket Monday captured the commanding general of the 11th army and a majority of his staff, it was announced today.

OUR WEATHER MAN

Local Temperatures

High Monday, 65.
Year Ago, 77.
Low Tuesday, 57.
Year Ago, 50.
Precipitation, .23.
River Stage, 4.26.
Sun rises 6:41 a. m.; sets 8:19 p. m.
Moon rises 5:48 p. m.; sets 5:47 a. m.

Temperatures Elsewhere

Stations	High	Low
Akron, O.	68	37
Atlanta, Ga.	66	58
Bismarck, N. Dak.	56	27
Buffalo, N. Y.	63	36
Burbank, Calif.	74	50
Chicago, Ill.	74	43
Cincinnati, O.	63	44
Cleveland, O.	69	36
Dayton, O.	66	45
Denver, Colo.	48	31
Detroit, Mich.	61	42
Duluth, Minn.	39	30
Fort Worth, Tex.	78	60
Huntington, W. Va.	66	48
Indianapolis, Ind.	60	47
Kansas City, Mo.	62	56
Louisville, Ky.	67	52
Miami, Fla.	88	75
Minn.-St. Paul	49	41
New Orleans, La.	84	68
New York, N. Y.	61	38
Oklahoma City, Okla.	68	36
Pittsburgh, Pa.	71	36
Toledo, O.	71	38
Washington, D. C.	65	44

Petain In Switzerland To Give Up

Former Vichy Chief Of Staff Ready To Surrender To French Authorities

BERLIN, April 24.—Marshal Henri Philippe Retain, chief of state of the defunct Vichy government, fled into Switzerland from Germany today preparatory to surrendering to French authorities.

A Swiss government announcement said Petain had been granted permission to enter Switzerland on his plea that he wished to return to France to answer charges of treason.

The 89-year-old marshal, hero of World War I, crossed the border at St. Margrethen on Lake Constance at 6 a. m. in a nine-car caravan after spending the night at Bregenz. He went there from Sigmaringen, seat of his puppet government.

Petain will wait in Switzerland for instructions from Paris as to the time and place of his surrender, the Swiss announcement said.

He is wanted for trial as a traitor in surrendering France to Germany in 1940 and subsequently collaborating with the Nazis. His trial was to have been held in absentia next month, but the Swiss announcement means that he will be on hand for the opening.

An official communique said Petain applied to the Swiss federal council for permission for himself, his wife and a small suite to cross Switzerland to France "in order to give himself up to the French court of justice."

"The federal council granted his request," the communique said. "Petain will await French government instructions regarding time and place of surrender to France in Switzerland. Instructions are expected very soon.'

The announcement came on Petain's 89th birthday.

He went to Germany with Premier Pierre Laval and other members of the former Vichy government last summer when Allied armies began to overrun his homeland.

NAZIS FLEEING BEFORE ALLIED UNITS IN ITALY

ROME, April 24—The American Fifth army closed in on the great naval base of La Spezia today on the heels of fast-retreating German forces in northern Italy.

So far there were no reports of crossings of the Po, last great river in northern Italy.

Allied air forces pounded retreating German columns day and night, turning the northward flight into a rout.

Authoritative sources said, "German communications now apparently are completely disrupted."

The only real resistance at the moment was in Ferrara where the Nazis were fighting back grimly with self-propelled guns and automatic weapons.

The Germans apparently were blowing up everything useful in the city. United Press War Correspondent Aldo Forte, on the outskirts of the city with Eighth army units, reported dark clouds of smoke floated over Ferrara and explosions could be heard plainly.

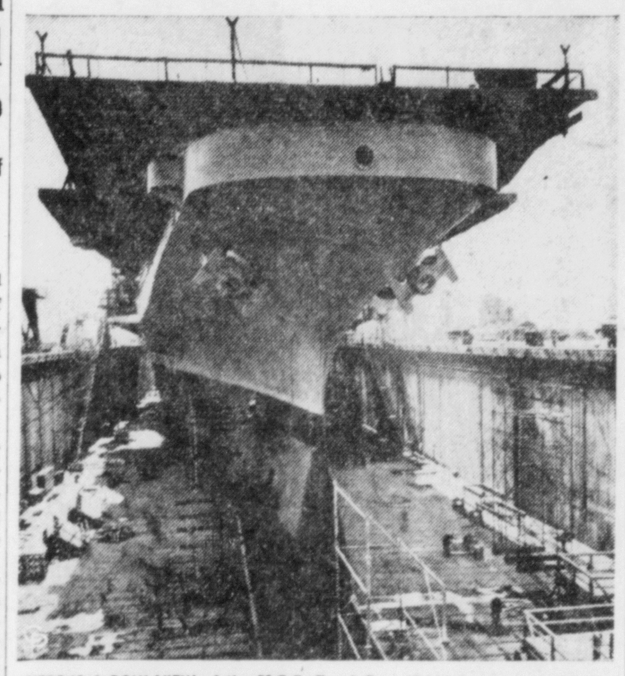
CONGRESSMEN IN GERMANY TO SEE PRISON CAMPS

PARIS, April 24—An American congressional committee investigating German atrocities left Paris today for the notorious Buchenwald concentration camp near Weimar.

The legislators will return to Paris Wednesday night.

A group of American editors and publishers who have been invited to inspect the scenes of German atrocities are expected to arrive in Paris later today.

SUPER-CARRIER SET FOR LAUNCHING



HERE IS A BOW VIEW of the *U.S.S. Coral Sea*, 45,000-ton super aircraft carrier, which will be launched at the New York Navy Yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Sunday, April 29. Sponsor of the new carrier will be Mrs. John H. Towers, of Coronado, Calif., wife of Vice Adm. John H. Towers, deputy commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet and a pioneer in naval aviation. This is an official U. S. Navy photo. *(International)*

Success of Conference Jeopardized Before It Opens By Polish Question

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24—The United Nations conference on international organization was jeopardized today before it began as the American-British-Russian dispute over Polish participation was transferred here for adjustment.

The first plenary conference session is scheduled for 7:30 p. m., (EWT) Wednesday. With scarcely more than 24 hours to go, the Big Three found themselves in the embarrassing position of being unable to settle a misunderstanding which they thought they had cleared up last Winter in the Crimea.

Efforts to adjust the dispute in preliminary Washington discussions have failed. Delegates of other nations anxiously awaited the arrival of the top diplomats of the big powers. It generally was conceded that the United States, Great Britain and the Soviet Union must adjust this dispute among themselves if the united nations conference is to have the hoped-for opportunity to write a post-war security charter.

Britain's Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and U. S. Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius Jr. have been insisting that the Soviet Union live up to the Crimea agreement that the Lublin government "be reorganized on a broader democratic basis with the inclusion of democratic leaders from Poland itself and from Poles abroad."

That was the essence of the Crimea report on Poland and it was signed by the late President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Josef V. Stalin.

Stettinius, Eden, Foreign Commissar V. M. Molotov, of the Soviet Union, and Foreign Minister T. V. Soong, of China, were coming here separately by air.

The Russians here are saying nothing but they are the talk of

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SOLONS FAVOR HIGHEST AWARD FOR ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, April 24—Congress is slated to take its first step today to honor the memory of Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

Chairman Hatton Sumners, D., Tex., said his house judiciary committee probably will approve a bill authorizing President Truman to award Mr. Roosevelt a posthumous congressional medal of honor.

Almost a half dozen bills to authorize the award — the nation's highest—have been introduced in the house and senate. Senate Democratic leader Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky is chief exponent of the idea in the senate while his house counterpart— Majority Leader John W. McCormack of Massachusetts — has introduced similar legislation.

Since the late President Roosevelt's death, almost a score of bills have been offered to honor his memory. Besides the medal of honor measure, most of the bills would make the late President's birthday —Jan. 30—a national holiday and designate the little Warm Springs, Ga., cottage in which he died as a national shrine.

OKINAWA ISLAND TO BE USED AS KEY AIR BASE

Admiral Nimitz Says Three Quarters Of Territory Cleared Of Japs

AIRCRAFT PLANT BOMBED

Hitachi Factory In Tokyo Area Hit; Mindanao Forces Split

By United Press

American forces have conquered three quarters of Okinawa island and are preparing it as a key base for the next phase of the march toward Japan and the China coast, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz said today.

A fleet of 150 superfortresses, meanwhile, smashed for the first time at the huge Hitachi aircraft plant in the Tokyo area and ground forces in the Philippines cut Japanese forces in two on Mindanao and continued a virtually unopposed drive toward the principal city of Davao.

Nimitz told a press conference of the progress on Okinawa.

"The acquisition," he said, "will permit us to project sea and air power to the China coast and the Japanese homeland and will great-

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CITIZENS JOIN IN MEMORIALS

Memory Of Late President Observed By Residents Of Ashville, Circleville

Ashville and Circleville will join other Ohio communities Wednesday in state-wide memorial services in honor of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

In Circleville Mayor Ben H. Gordon urges that all residents pause for five minutes at noon in honor of the memory of the President and to pray for the success of the United Nations conference which opens Wednesday in San Francisco.

At Ashville services will be conducted at 12:30 p. m. in the Brethren church. Mayor T. R. Acord announced that the three ministers of the community would participate in the program.

Mayor Gordon and Mayor Acord Tuesday issued proclamations calling on all citizens to participate in the services.

All communities in the state were requested to observe the memorial for our late President. Governor Frank J. Lausche issued a proclamation requesting that a statewide memorial be observed.

Circleville will participate in a

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ALLIES HIT FOR NAZI STRONGHOLD

STRIKING FAST to prevent the Nazis from rallying their broken armies for a long stand in the Bavarian Alps, the American 7th and 3rd Armies and the French 1st Army have wheeled southward along a twisting battleline stretching from the Swiss to the Czechoslovak borders. Gen. Patton's 3rd Army has sent spearheads crashing toward Pilsen and Prague in an effort to cut off the last main escape corridor between northern and southern Germany. The U. S. 7th Army is driving south and southwestward from Nuremberg in the direction of Munich, outer bastion of the Bavarian defense zone on the map. French troops, meanwhile, are closing in from the west on the Nazi stronghold and shooting converging columns about the city of Stuttgart. *(International)*

Truman Acts To Prevent Further Mistreatment Of Allies In German Camps

WASHINGTON, April 24—President Truman, in his first formal role as a member of the Big Three, sought today to prevent further execution, starvation or torture of Allied nationals in the hands of the crumbling German army.

At the same time it appeared that German forces no longer have the transport facilities to move prisoners out of the path of advancing Allied armies. This seemed to be the reason behind the German offer—accepted by this government —to leave all prisoners of war in the camps where they are now being held.

(A London dispatch reported the British government also had accepted the German offer. British Secretary of War Sir James Grigg was expected to make a statement on prisoners in the house of commons today. According to latest figures available, some 143,000 British prisoners still were in German hands as of April 17.)

Thinking of the 60,000 to 65,000 American troops still in German hands as well as other captives of the Nazis, Mr. Truman joined last night with British Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Russian Premier Josef Stalin in a warning that anyone party to the maltreatment of Allied prisoners "will be ruthlessly pursued and brought to punishment."

The Big Three said they "will regard this responsibility as binding in all circumstances and one which cannot be transferred to any other authorities or individuals whatsoever."

This was aimed at Germans who have sought to explain away their brutal treatment of Allied

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MAY 2 DEADLINE FOR FILING FOR 1945 PRIMARY

The last date for filing declarations and petitions of candidacy for the primary election has been changed to May 2. Petitions will be accepted by the county board of elections up to 6:30 p. m. May 2. Primary elections will be held July 31 this year.

New regulations have been made effecting balloting by the senate substitute bill 216. Soldier ballots must be ready by June 1. The women's auxiliary service pilots are no longer eligible to vote under the war ballot provisions of the amended substitute senate bill.

Soldiers, sailors, Marines, merchant marines, Red Cross workers, USO volunteers, Society of Friends and members of the armed forces of our Allies who are citizens of the United States are still eligible to vote as they were last election.

Ballots this election may be marked by members of the armed forces by pen, pencil or any other instrument.

Ballots for members of the armed forces and other services that are affected by the war voting amendments may be applied for by members of their families or by the members of the armed forces themselves.

Any further information regarding election requirements may be secured at the board of elections office in the county court house or by phoning the board at 442.

THINGS HAPPEN FAST TO FREED TEXAS SOLDIER

WITH 12TH ARMY GROUP, GERMANY, April 24.—In 48 hours all this happened to Tech. Sgt. David A. Phillips of Fort Worth, Tex.:

1. He was liberated by the 45th division from a prison camp near Nuernberg where he had been confined for a year after his bomber was shot down over Vienna.
2. He was given a bottle of cognac and a keg of beer by the liberating doughboys.
3. He got his first bath in months.
4. He had a big steak dinner.
5. He met his sister Jane, a Red Cross worker at the front, for the first time in two years.
6. He met Gen. Omar N. Bradley while he was hunting at headquarters for his sister.

And now he is going home.

WAR IN BRIEF

By United Press

Eastern Front—Russian encirclement of Berlin reported completed; Moscow dispatch says fall is imminent.

Western Front—Third army rolls through breach in Bavarian defense line 109 miles from Berchtesgaden.

Pacific—Nimitz reports Okinawa three-quarters conquered; B-29's bomb aircraft plant in Tokyo area; American troops split Japanese force on Mindanao and drive nearer Davao.

Italy—Fifth army closes in on La Spezia naval base.

First Dispatch From Inside Berlin Tells of Savage Nazi Resistance

(Editor's Note: The following dispatch is the first eyewitness story from inside blazing Berlin. It was written exclusively for United Press by the famed Russian war reporter, Roman Karmen. Veteran reporter of the Spanish and Chinese wars, Karmen has followed the Red army through every big battle, including Leningrad, Stalingrad, and Warsaw.)

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BERLIN, April 24—The deeper we penetrate Berlin the more fiercely the battle rages.

But already the victorious Red banner flies over the Nazi capital.

I am writing this inside tank T-34, which the command placed at my disposal to enter Berlin with the vanguard units.

We rode across the suburbs of Blankenburg and the Malkhov and Weisensee districts on Berlin streets cleared of the enemy. On Reickenstrasse and Berlin allee heavy enemy artillery and mortars pound incessantly.

The streets are deserted. Our infantry, clinging to the house fronts, advances chainwise. Furious battles rage in neighboring streets.

We run into a group of captured Volkssturmer unescorted. Our assault units, consisting of a tank group, anti-tank guns and self-propelled guns together with sappers, smash toward the center of the city, storming each house, cellar, and balcony turned into fortresses.

Barricades constructed from the wreckage of houses block our way. There is heavy cannonading from the northern, eastern, and southern districts.

These are unforgettable minutes. It is a long way from the grim days of the battle of Moscow. I remember famished, besieged Leningrad and Stalingrad.

We marched and fought four years on battle-scarred roads, profoundly confident the day would come when the Red army would hoist its victorious banner over the Nazi capital. We have just done that.

The tank unit which I am accompanying battled ahead 15 kilometers in ousting the enemy from several fortified villages on the way to Berlin.

Before retreating the Germans hurled against us huge artillery and tank forces, counter-attacking on each defense line established on favorable terrain. Our tank units were compelled to build their own bridges and roads.

Our advance was a continuous mass of material relentlessly

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NAZIS MAKING DEATH STAND IN RUINED CITY

Soviets Say Nazi Capital's Hours Are Numbered; Fighting Is Bitter

MORE JUNCTION REPORTS

Rumors Claim Russian And U. S. Forces Advancing Together Near Torgau

By United Press

The Red army was reported today to have encircled the ruins of tottering Berlin, and Nazis sources hinted that the fanatical defenders were falling back for a death stand in the northwestern quarter of the city.

The Soviet government organ Izvestia said Berlin's hours were numbered. Two Russian armies were chopping through street barricades in the heart of the capital. Official reports lagging far behind the blazing battle said one third to one half of Berlin had been captured.

Street fighting of "fantastic fury" was reported by the Nazi-controlled Oslo radio. It said the Soviet assault forces had taken a "great number" of the stricken city's blocks, and that the main weight of the struggle now centered in the northwestern section, which the Nazis appeared to have chosen for their last stand.

As the battle of Berlin raged, the first unqualified report of a historic junction between the Red army and the United States army came from Moscow. A United Press dispatch said Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian army had joined forces with the American First army 60 miles or so south of Berlin. It added that Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian army was speeding toward an imminent junction with the U. S. Ninth army at Stendal.

Stockholm and French advices reported the encirclement of Berlin and the trapping of whatever members of the Nazi hierarchy remained to witness the death throes of their devastated capital. The Nazis said yesterday that Adolf Hitler was directing the defense of Berlin, but the report was tainted with propaganda possibilities.

Soviet front dispatches said the defenders of interior Berlin were beginning to show signs of cracking up. In one rubbish-heaped street 600 men surrendered. Hundreds of Russian and Ukrainian slave laborers were emerging from the ruins of the central district to welcome the Red army.

All accounts pictured Berlin as a desolate waste. The Russian army organ Red Star published pictures showing Soviet tanks rolling through rubble-littered streets where not a soul was in sight.

"If this is typical of the rest of the city, Berlin is wrecked worse than Stalingrad and Warsaw," a United Press dispatch describing the pictures said.

An Izvestia correspondent said chaos and confusion were rife in the German-held part of Berlin, where the warlords maintained some semblance of discipline only by terrorism.

Red Star said the shells of hundreds of Russian guns had leveled the Stettin and Nord rail stations and demolished the Argus airplane engine and Heinkel aircraft plants on the Berlinstrasse.

Gas plants were blazing, burned out panzers littered the broad avenues, and many streets were im-

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ALFRED DOWNING REPORTED KILLED FIGHTING NAZIS

Cpl. Alfred J. Downing, 22, son of Mrs. Mary Downing, Route 1, Circleville, was killed in action April 9 while he was fighting in Germany, the War department has informed his mother.

Cpl. Downing has been overseas since June, 1944. Previous to his induction into the Army he was employed as a truck driver in Columbus.

A brother, Pfc. Harold E. Downing, is serving with the Army in Germany. He has been overseas since May, 1944.

Also surviving are three brothers and a sister at home, Wayne, Charles, Paul and Barbara.

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prisoners by saying they were merely "following orders."

The Big Three were specific: "Any person guilty of maltreating or allowing any Allied prisoners of war, internees or deported citizens to be maltreated, whether in battle zone, on lines of communication, in a camp, hospital, prison or elsewhere, will be ruthlessly pursued and punished."

Mr. Truman, Churchill and Stalin declared they would hold all persons, 'no less than the German high command and competent German military, naval and air authorities, individually responsible for the safety and welfare of all Allied prisoners of war, internees or deported citizens in their charge."

This warning, in leaflet form, was dropped from Allied planes during the night on German territory still in German hands.

Several reasons seemed to underline the German offer, acceptance of which was announced late yesterday by this government, to leave Allied prisoners in their present camps. The Germans have been trying to move the prisoners away from the advancing Allies in accordance with the Geneva convention which specifies that prisoners should be removed from active combat areas.

One reason behind the offer was transportation. Another factor was that German food supplies are growing increasingly short and it gave the German government an excuse to more or less leave the prisoners on their own. The agreement became effective Sunday night.

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river 14 miles to the southwest at Ehingen.

It came on the heels of a Moscow report that the American First army to the north had linked up with Russian troops below Berlin to split the German front irrevocably and doom the enemy's remaining forces to a hopeless "pocket defense."

There was no confirmation of the Moscow report and censored field dispatches from the First army front said the juncture apparently had not been effected by this morning.

Still another juncture of the eastern and western fronts appeared imminent on the U. S. Ninth army lines along the Elbe river. The Yanks cleared out the last enemy pockets west of the river in their sector west and northwest of Berlin and opened direct radio contact with Russian troops storming past the embattled Nazi capital.

Field dispatches said no actual link-up had been made on the Ninth army front up to 9 a. m. Tuesday (3 a. m. EWT.)

Farther to the northwest, the British second army tightened its siege lines around the southern outskirts of Hamburg and stormed through the outskirts of flaming Bremen behind a pulverizing aerial and artillery barrage that was levelling the once-great port block by block.

But the spotight of the western front battle still focused on the American Third army's dramatic race for Berchtesgaden.

Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's tanks and armored troop carriers, diverted from the Berlin drive to spearhead what may prove the last battle of Europe, were riding roughshod through the vaunted Bavarian defenses at a tremendous pace.

Tens of thousands of crack Nazi elite guards, hand-picked for the defense of Hitler's Bavarian redoubt, were scattering in disorder before the sudden American onslaught.

Patton's left wing, its flank protected by the rugged Bohemian forest fringing the Czechoslovak border was barely 57 miles from the Austrian frontier on the direct road to Berchtesgaden. His right wing was moving in on Regensburg from three sides, pushing into the Danube valley only 65 miles from Munich.

In general advances averaging 18 miles in 24 hours, the 11th armored division on Patton's left flank stormed into the big rail and highway junction of Cham, 57 miles from Austrian soil, 109 miles northwest of Berchtesgaden and 25 miles northeast of Regensburg.

On the opposite flank, an unidentified Third army force broke into Beratzhausen, 12 miles west of Regensburg. Other infantry columns captured Burglenfeld and reached the Schongras area, 12 miles northwest and 17 miles northeast of Regensburg.

Powerful infantry task forces were moving up swiftly in the wake of the 11th armored division, wiping out by-passed German pockets of resistance.

There was no immediate word on the whereabouts of the Third army's famed fourth and sixth armored divisions, which have been blacked out since Patton started his great reverse run southward Sunday.

United Press dispatches from the Swiss frontier said French troops stormed across the Rhine just north of Basle early today and were rapidly clearing out the five-mile corridor between Istein and Basle. Friedlingen was reported captured without opposition.

Prominent Nazis were said to be trying to escape across the border into Swiss soil.

No major changes were reported on the American First and Ninth army lines to the north, where the Yanks appeared to have reached their pre-arranged positions for the juncture with the Red army.

In the far north the Germans began a series of frantic attempts to evacuate troops caught between Hamburg, Bremen and Emden as massive British and Canadian armored forces closed in on the three great North sea ports.

FIRST DISPATCH FROM BERLIN

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sweeping ahead like an avalanche. Thousands of motorized vehicles were rolling on several lanes on a dozen parallel highways.

Around the clock hundreds of fighters, bombers, and assault planes swept the skies. Fires blazed everywhere. The artillery cannonade did not cease for a single minute. Motors roaded over our heads carrying tons of deadly gifts westward.

The luftwaffe also was active, dropping parachute flares over our lines. But they dared to fly only at night, our air superiority being so overwhelming.

There was great enthusiasm among our soldiers as they drove within sight of their four years' goal. Their lips burned with one word, "Berlin."

Two days ago at six p. m. I stood on the eastern edge of Bernau. In the course of that night Bernau was cleared and our tank forces were ordered to proceed.

The next morning was rainy and foggy. Aircraft were grounded but the tanks smashed on without air support.

I rode a jeep right behind the tank column which entered the northwestern city limits of Berlin. The whole way panzers burned like torches and heaps of German corpses littered the roads.

At practically each halt there were heavy barricads, which tank-borne sappers demolished under murderous enemy fire. All the roads and fields were densely mined.

I inspected Colonel Grekov's battery, which opened fire on Berlin at 12:30 p. m., shelling bridges spanning the Spree and the Stettin northern railway stations.

At 12:40 I was told the vanguards had broken into the northeastern limits of Berlin in the Weisensee district. Tankmen reported by radio that practically every step of Berlin's central streets was barricaded. Germans were firing intensively from the houses.

On high buildings dominating the capital's skyline, tankmen unfurled the Red flag.

I saw the massive preparations which preceded the Berlin offensive. In the past few days, I witnessed great masses of military equipment streaming to the Oder river.

In the area of the projected blow were concentrated hundreds of giant Stalin and some Sherman tanks and an extraordinary quantity of artillery. Thousands of motors roared at the Oder crossings.

Heavy tanks and self-propelled guns blanketed the jumping off place on a small patch of land on the west bank of the Oder. The battle for this bridgehead raged furiously for many days.

At some points the width of the bridgehead did not exceed three kilometers. Facing us were numerous rifle and tanks divisions protecting the Nazi capital.

Suddenly an unparalleled barrage loosened the enemy positions. Hundreds of planes simultaneously dropped their bomb loads. Guns of all calibers standing hub to hub covered the field as far as I could see.

All men and officers today smashing into Berlin know Allied troops also are uninterruptedly marching eastward.

BOYS HELD FOR BURGLARY OF COUNTY STORE

Held in county jail Tuesday were three West Virginia boys who are accused of breaking into a store owned by Edward Tucker, Route 23, south of Circleville.

Sheriff's Deputies Vern Pontious and Ralph Leist, who apprehended the youngsters, said they obtained checks, money, a 25 caliber automatic pistol, meat ration tokens, a flashlight and some pastry. The boys, aged 13 and 14, entered the store through a kitchen window after breaking out the glass, the deputies said.

The boys said they were hitchhiking from Columbus to West Virginia when they took refuge from the rain in the doorway of the store. They were attracted by a sign which said the store was closed for the afternoon and broke in, the officers said.

The boys were apprehended after a neighbor furnished a description and a girl reported seeing three colored boys walking on Route 23.

CITIZENS JOIN IN MEMORIALS

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five minute period of silence beginning at 12 noon. Citizens will observe a period of silent prayer for the late President and prayers that the success of the San Francisco United Nations Peace Conference will be assured.

Services at the Brethren church, Ashville, will be conducted by the Rev. Dwight Woodworth, the Rev. H. D. Fudge and the Rev. O. W. Smith.

Mayor Gordon's proclamation stated that "the greatest memorial the United States and the world can offer to the memory of Franklin D. Roosevelt is one of lasting peace for which he strived in life and for which he died. In keeping with the services which will be held at the San Francisco Conference Circleville will observe a period of silent prayer beginning at 12:00 noon Wednesday."

Members of Trinity Lutheran church have been asked to hold family worship periods Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning to ask divine guidance at the United Nations conference. A suggested meditation has been sent to members by the pastor, the Rev. George Troutman.

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ly facilitate and speed up operations in the future."

The attack on the Hitachi plant at Tackikawa, 14 miles west of Tokyo, was made from medium altitude and good results were expected. Radio Tokyo, acknowledging the attack, said 70 B-29's were in the raiding force and claimed six were shot down and 20 damaged.

The broadcast said the bombers also attacked airbases at Tackikawa and nearby Tokorozawa.

Nimitz' regular communique said warships and carrier planes continued to bombard Japanese positions on southern Okinawa but said there was no further report of progress by ground forces, temporarily stalled before enemy defenses three and a half miles north of Naha.

The communique said carrier planes and fighters destroyed 28 enemy aircraft through the Ryukyus Sunday and Monday.

A Tokyo broadcast said Japanese suicide planes had damaged two Allied ships northeast of Okinawa and set fire to a transport off the southwest coast. It said also that Japanese artillery fired on ships entering Nagasuku bay yesterday and sank a destroyer.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, announcing the gains on Mindanao, disclosed that 10,896 Japanese had been killed and 353 captured throughout the Philippines in the last eight days.

The figures boosted total Japanese casualties in the Philippines to 334,465, compared with 34,518 for American forces. The American casualties included 7,491 killed 26,606 wounded and 421 missing. The majority of Japanese casualties represented known dead.

American bombers attacked Japanese positions throughout Luzon where ground forces pressed closer to Baguio in the north and scored new gains in the sector 21 miles northeast of Manila.

GILES IS NAMED

WASHINGTON, April 24—Lt. Gen. Barney M. Giles, deputy commander of the army air forces and chief of air staff, has been named commanding general of army air forces in the Pacific ocean areas, the war department announced today.

COMMISSIONERS NAME COUNTY APIARY INSPECTOR

E. A. Dobyons, Route 2, Williamsport, was appointed apiary inspector for Pickaway county by the county commissioners Monday.

The Muhlenberg township road was closed by order of the county commissioners. The road has been closed for a distance of 4/10 of a mile from Gulick road to Darby creek. Several hearings have been held by the commissioners on the closing of the road, prior to its closing Monday.

BUY WAR BONDS

NAZIS MAKING DEATH STAND IN RUINED CITY

Soviets Say Nazi Capital's Hours Are Numbered; Fighting Is Bitter

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passable, a Red Star correspondent said.

Zhukov's tanks and motorized infantry broke across the circular railroad into inner Berlin from the north, east and south. They now were battering through the city, block by block, blasting out nests of SS Elite guards and Volkssturm remnants from cellars and hideouts in the ruins, while Soviet artillery demolished row after row of street barricades.

Some 50 miles north of Berlin, the north German home radio service said, the Russians had broken across the lower Oder in the area of Gartz, 16 miles south of Stettin, and established a bridgehead 12 miles long and about two miles deep.

"The Soviets are bringing up strong forces, and are sending tanks and artillery across the river, apparently with the intention of rolling up the Oder front," the Nazis said.

The Luxembourg radio said that at Berlin, the Russian flag already was flying over the ruins of the Reichstag, and Potsdamer platz, Anhalter station and the Tiergarten were in Soviet hands.

Radio Luxembourg, regarded as the voice of Allied supreme headquarters, said the Americans and Russians had joined hands along a broad front near Torgau on the Elbe. The Russians reached the Elbe along a 39-mile front yesterday.

"American and Russian tanks and motorized columns already are working together," the Luxembourg broadcast said. It was recorded by the Exchange Telegraph agency.

The Soviet-American junction—severing Europe and cutting off Berlin and northern Germany from the national redoubt in the south—was expected to be announced formally soon by Washington, Moscow and London.

A poll of high Soviet officers in Moscow revealed that they believed all German resistance north of Berlin and south of Dresden would be crushed in the next fortnight, leaving only the redoubt to be conquered.

Within the next few days, two more Russian army groups—the second and third White Russian—probably will smash across the Oder in the Stettin area and clear western Pomerania and Mecklenberg for a junction with Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's 21st army group, Moscow said.

HARRY GORDON DIES AT HOME IN FLORIDA

Harry Gordon of Parkersburg, W. Va., died unexpectedly at his Winter home in Florida according to a telegram received Monday by Mrs. Felix H. Caldwell of South Court street. The time of his death was not stated and there was no information concerning funeral arrangements other than that the funeral services would be held in Parkersburg. Mrs. Gordon is the former Georgia Bauder of Circleville.

At one time Mr. Gordon was manager of the Grand Theatre in this city.

75 PRESENT AT TYRIAN COUNCIL ANNUAL REUNION

Annual reunion of the Tyrian Council No. 60, Royal and Select Masters was held Monday evening at the Masonic Temple, Circleville. Degrees were conferred on several members.

The program included a memoriam service presented by Illustrious Commander W. E. Hilyard and a presentation of Honorary membership to Illustrious Commander Max M. Fulks, Chillicothe.

The program was presented by the members of the Circleville lodge. Guests from Ashville, Washington C. H., Lancaster and other towns were present. The program was presented to an audience of about 75 members.

WILLIAM HARMAN RITES HELD IN BELLE CENTER

Funeral services for William D. Harman were held Tuesday at 3 p. m. at his home in Belle Center, Logan county, with burial in the cemetery of that community. Mr. Harman died Sunday at his home after a lengthy illness.

He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Harman, the Harman family formerly residing in Pickaway county on a farm on the Island road. The family removed to Logan county about 35 years ago.

Mr. Harman was a graduate of Circleville high school and after his graduation was employed at Brunner's Jewelry store. He studied watchmaking and optometry and had an office in Lima before going to Belle Center.

Mr. Harman leaves a widow, the former Jane Wyndham of Belle Center; one sister, Mrs. Catherine Harman Wright, Harrison township, and one brother, Otho S. Harman, Belle Center.

MELVIN CONRAD FUNERAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Melvin W. Conrad, 37, will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the Crites and Van Cleve funeral home in Amanda with the Rev. Clarence Stewart officiating. Burial will be in Amanda township cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mr. Conrad died Sunday at Chattanooga, Tenn., where he had been employed for the last four years by the J. A. Jones Construction Co. He was a native of Amanda. He leaves a widow, Erma Conrad, and one daughter, Donna Lee, who is three years old; three uncles, Arthur R. Conrad, Gahanna; Ross W. Conrad, Amanda, and Orin Conrad, Michigan.

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Sept—	156⅞	157⅞	156⅝	157⅜-⅞

CORN

	Open	High	Low	Close
May—	114¼	115½	114¼	115¼
July—	111⅞	112⅝	111	112¼
Sept—	109⅝	110⅝	109⅛	110⅛-¼

OATS

	Open	High	Low	Close
May—	64⅝	67	64½	66⅞
July—	58⅛	60	58⅛	60
Sept—	55⅝	56⅞	55⅝	56⅝-½

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Success of Conference Jeopardized Before It Opens By Polish Question

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the town. The mere fact that the 10th floor of the St. Francis hotel has been taken over by the Russian delegation has San Francisco punchy with curiousity.

The accurate report that Russian guards protected the Russian quarters added to the popular interest.

The American delegates awaited Stettinius' report and the arrival of their No. 2 colleague, Chairman Tom Connally, D., Tex., of the senate foreign relations committee. He'll be in today. Clement Attlee, deputy prime minister of Great Britain, arrived yesterday but without significant comment.

The smaller nations are beginning to sound off. E. N. Van Kleffens, the slight young man who is foreign minister of the Nethelands, announced his intention to submit seven amendments to the Dumbarton Oaks outline of a post-war security charter. The Dutch are of the "middle group" here, neither big powers nor little.

Van Kleffens is believed to speak for some of the others here in his major amendment which would deprive big power members of the proposed security council of the veto privilege against any use of force against themselves. That privilege, in effect, would permit the United States, Great Britain, the Soviet Union, China or France to veto use of force against themselves.

That veto power was agreed upon at Russian insistence. It is in part responsible for the fact that the post-war security charter is designed in last resort to compel peace among the smaller powers rather than to enforce it among the big ones.

Foreign Minister Ezequiel Padilla, of Mexico, expressed here the hope that "the heroic people of Poland" would be represented here. But he did not go on record for or against the Lublin government. And Padilla said he believed the American republics would be glad to see Argentina represented at the conference.

The Polish-Argentine issues are somewhat connected. Moscow opposes admission of Argentina to the conference. The United States, by implication at least, wants Argentina here.

Comdr. Harold E. Stassen, here in civilian clothes as a conference delegate, told a Roosevelt memorial audience last night that the San Francisco conference could improve on the original Dumbarton Oaks security framework proposals.

"The document which we draw here," he said, "will not and cannot represent exactly what any one nation or delegate would like to see. The important thing is that we agree on the fundamental question and then give and take to adjust the details."

MAN HAD BRICK IN HIS STOMACH FOR 10 YEARS

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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Staff Sergeant Martin L. Walters, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walters, Circleville, who is a radio operator with a Troop Carrier unit of Major General Ennis C. Whitehead's Fifth Air Force, somewhere in the Philippines, was recently awarded a third Oakleaf Cluster for his Air Medal. The award was presented in recognition of meritorious service during 100 hours of operational flying in combat area. Sgt. Walters in addition to the Air Medal with three Oakleaf clusters has also received the Distinguished Flying Cross with one Oakleaf cluster.

Before joining the Army January 20, 1943, Sgt. Walters had graduated from Circleville high school and was employed by the Goodyear Aircraft Corporation. He received training as a radio operator in the AAF Technical Training School, Chicago, Ill. He was assigned to the Troop Carrier Command July 28, 1943 and sailed for overseas duty in September, 1943.

Sgt. Walter's unit, a member of the Troop Carrier force under the command of Brigadier General Paul H. Prentiss, is now operating in the Philippine campaign. Troop Carrier units are performing outstanding service in expediting the movement of personnel and supplies and the evacuation of wounded from the front to well-equipped hospitals in the rear. It was Troop Carrier planes which recently flew emergency rations and medical supplies to civilian internees and U. S. Army prisoners liberated by our forces from Jap concentration camps on Luzon.

Lieutenant L. R. Siegwald, 0-1559397, has arrived safely in the Philippines, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Siegwald, 486 East Main street. His address is: 283rd. Repl. Co., 5th Repl. Depot, APO 711, c/o, Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Joe R. Norris, who is a member of the Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Blanding, Fla., has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Norris, Ashville. S/Sgt. Norris entered service in 1943. He is a graduate of Walnut township high school and just before entering service was employed by Owens-Illinois Glass Co., Columbus.

Correct address of Oral Leon Sims, S 2/c, is: Gen. Del. Bldg. 4102, U. S. N. T. S., Newport, Rhode Island.

Mrs. Mack Wise of 146 East Franklin street has received a change of address for her husband: Cpl. Milo M. Wise, ASN 35629281, 987th Air Engineer Sqdn. 557th Air Service Group, APO 18668, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Private Walter Starkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Starkey, 368 Logan street, has as his new address: Pvt. Walter Starkey, ASN 35976200, Co. D, 51st Bn. 4th Plt. Camp Wolters, Texas.

New address of Private First Class Marvin H. Sowers is: ASN 35294861, Hq. Co. 2nd Bn., 3rd Inf., APO 408, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He is stationed somewhere in France.

ASHVILLE

Mrs. W. D. Snyder of Nashville, Tennessee, is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mahaffey.

—Ashville—

E. Maxine Canter is now attending Ohio State University.

—Ashville—

Several local people are listening to the talks for Victory gardeners being broadcast over WOSU, Ohio State University, each Wednesday at 6:45 p. m., by agricultural experts.

—Ashville—

With "VE" day rapidly approaching, it seems that the village should have some plans made for an orderly celebration. Many schools plan to dismiss classes for a short program of services for thanksgiving and re-dedication with talks by school leaders and pupils and the sounding of "taps" in memory of the war dead from the community.

—Ashville—

News from boys in service: Pvt. George D. McDowell wrote from Germany April 5 that he is well and that advances are made so rapidly that there is rivalry between outfits as to which "takes" a town. . .Cpl. Harold E. Myers under date of April 13 wrote from Germany that he has seen so much rain overseas he doesn't care to see anymore. Like other Ashville boys, Harold expresses his disappointment that Ashville was unable to win the state tournament. . . Pfc. Eugene Wilson has been pitching some softball down at Cherry Point, N. C. where he has won both starts 9-2 and 7-3 while getting 7 hits including two doubles, two triples, and a home run. Eugene played with the Irwin Insurance team in the local league a few seasons ago.

—Ashville—

Harry Sark and C. E. Mahaffey attended a meeting of the Tyrian Council of Royal and Select Masons in Circleville Monday evening.

VFW AUXILIARY WILL COLLECT OLD CLOTHING

A committee from the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary to Henry Page Folsom Post 3331, Circleville, has been named to assist in the old clothing collection in Circleville.

The president, Mrs. William Miller, has appointed Hazel Fouch and Gladys Clary to the committee.

All persons interested as well as VFW members are asked to call 1164 and the clothing will be collected.

BUY WAR BONDS

MAY TRUCK TIRE QUOTA HIGHER IN THIS AREA

All tire quotas for the Columbus district except passenger car were increased for May, the Offic of Price Administration announced today.

The passenger tire quota for May is 9,770 as against 9,958 for April. Large size truck tires' quota for May is 1,200 as against 1,000 in April; small truck tires is 2,994 as against 2,659; small tractor and equipment is 668 as against 435, and large tractor and equipment is 379 as against 246 for April.

Shortage of carbon black and rayon cord, used in the manufacture of tires, indicates a continued curtailment in tire production, Robert A. Lang, automobile and tire rationing officer, said.

Mr. Lang said it is estimated that the May tire quota will be adequate to take care of groups 1 and 2 on the passenger car preference list in this district.

SERVICES CANCELLED

All services for Thursday evening, April 26, and Sunday, April 29, at the Morris U. B. church are cancelled because of the re-decorating of the interior of the building now being done by workers.

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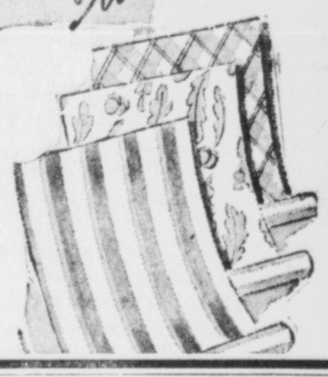

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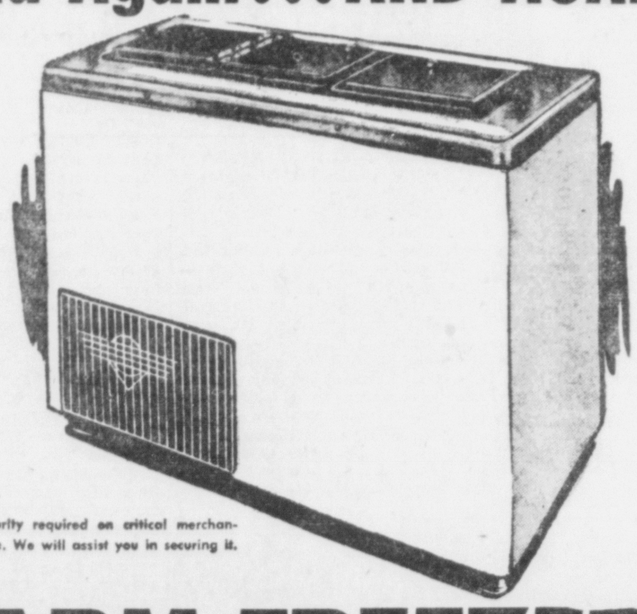

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NO REMORSE

THE more the outer world learns about the state of mind which has developed in Hitler's Germany, the more thoughtful people wonder about that nation's future, and about other nations' relations to it. The present invasion of the Continent, reopening access to Europe, reveals a baffling psychology among the German people.

Americans are stunned to discover that the Nazi Germans have no remorse at all for the crimes they have committed under the Hitler regime, but think they had a perfect right to do everything they have done, whether in the form of open war or secret crime. In a country where it might almost be said that ethics were invented, they recognize no ethical barrier except their own will. The teaching of their great philosophers in other years means nothing to them. Men of intelligence, understanding and world view are treated with contempt. Germany has reverted to barbarism, and engaged in a crusade to impose her own evil standards on Europe, laughing at world ethics and international morals.

Apparently this dangerous mentality is what a sane world has to destroy before Europe can return to normal and the world can be safe again.

IMPROVIDENT

MAN is supposed to be the most thrifty of animals, because he plans ahead and at least professes to lay up something for the future, especially in a time like this when nearly everybody is employed. But there seems to be less of such foresight than people imagine. The American Institute of Public Opinion reports that four people out of ten, even in these supposedly prosperous times, haven't enough money saved up to tide them over a three months period of unemployment if they lost their jobs.

Doubtless millions of Americans are getting ahead in various ways, buying homes, taking out life insurance, and so on. But even so, there seems to be less thrift at present, among people in general, than there should be in any rational plan of living.

Two aims especially are well to bear in mind. First, take out a reasonable amount of life insurance. Second, if you don't own your home, start buying one or saving for it. Bonds help.

Suggestion to mystery writers seeking a new turn for their stories; how about an ending in which the reader proves to be the criminal?

President Truman's name is a fitting and reassuring term for these times.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

EN ROUTE TO SAN FRANCISCO, April 24—Mr. Truman called in privately most of the American delegation to this world conference soon after he took office (several days before the announced conference.)

He told them they had their instructions from Mr. Roosevelt and he did not wish to change those instructions in any particular. His words implied that while he could not go with them, he would hold them responsible for following every detail of the Roosevelt plan.

The plan, of course, has not been made public, any more than was this Truman warning, but it can be outlined upon the highest living authority as running along this following line:

We must not fail to establish the Dumbarton league of the United nations, no matter what its defects, or the limitations placed upon our program. We must do this because our first duty is to do everything possible to see that war cannot happen again. The next war would destroy civilization.

No matter what we think the best answer to peace is, we must come out of this meeting with a final formula for international relationships. To do this we must give and take. But essentially we must make a beginning toward peace.

We have taken two or three big initial steps (Atlantic charter, Dumbarton, Livadia) and we are now ready for the next. We must succeed in this one. We cannot afford to fail. We cannot stick it out for perfection. We must make some start, whatever it is.

This is the explanation behind all recent Roosevelt-Truman international policy developments as well as the official background tone and guide for the conference.

In my opinion, there was a time a few weeks back when the late Mr. Roosevelt and his State Secretary Stettinius may have had their doubts about going ahead. Their inability to gain their most important objectives for small nations and full democratic freedoms universally may well have disappointed them, and at that time there was a chance this conference might have been called off.

Evidently they decided in favor of the above outlined course, and since then after direct request, Britain changed its mind and sent its Foreign Minister Eden and Stalin changed and sent the equally ranking Molotov.

This conference, in accordance with these objectives, is to be thrown wide open. It is to be a free forum for airing the causes of the little people primarily. Officially, Mr. Stettinius has been saying it will last four or five weeks, but is more likely to last a couple of months.

Discussion of everything is to be allowed. Every nation will be invited to say all it wishes. The Dumbarton Oaks setup is to be thrown literally upon the table, as if to say to all:

"Here it is; go to it."

Any hope that such a program can be concluded in 4 or 5 weeks is therefore, concededly optimistic.

In the end, if there are "not too many changes" in the Dumbarton proposal, the conference will be judged by this government to have been a success.

Now some authorities may well differ

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LAFF-A-DAY

"I deduct him from my income tax as a dependent."

DIET AND HEALTH

Skin Grafting in Damage From Burns

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

ONE of the chief dangers arising from burns is the possible occurrence of large scar formation during healing. The amount of scarring will, of course, vary with the extent of the damage done to the tissues. Then deformitis results from contraction or shrinkage of the skin when healing takes place. Thus, in the treatment of burns it is important to replace the lost skin by means of skin grafting or transplanting.

In skin grafting there are certain definite things which are necessary so that the implanted skin will take, that is, that the skin will grow.

To begin with, the burned area must be practically free from infection before the grafting is done. This can be brought about by using dressings of sterile salt solution alternating with dressings of a chlorine solution for a period of 24 hours before the graft is done. If there is any excess scar tissue present it should be removed with a sharp razor with as little injury as possible to the underlying tissues. Following the removal of this tissue, all bleeding must be completely checked. This can be accomplished by using warm salt-solution packs for a few minutes. In some cases it may be advisable to apply gauze soaked in epinephrine since epinephrine causes contraction of the blood vessels and checks the bleeding. The skin area from which the grafts are to be taken must be cleaned with some acceptable antiseptic.

In recent years, an instrument known as a dermatome has been invented which makes it possible to cut off large pieces of skin three to five inches across which are uniform in thickness. This instrument has made it possible to carry out skin grafting much more successfully.

The skin graft is spread over the raw burned surface easily and is sewed into place with fine silk thread. The graft is then covered with a non-irritating dressing, such as vaseline gauze. Then a firm bandage is applied.

The dressing is left in place for about four days unless there is some pain, tenderness, or fever. Then the wound is inspected at once to determine if any infection has developed, and if infection is present, proper treatment is given.

Skin grafting is not a difficult procedure, and should always be utilized without delay in large burns to keep deformitis from developing.

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Tomorrow, Dr. Bundesen will discuss "Are the Men of Today Taller?"

Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Ida Baughman and grandson, Lewis Cooper, South Court street, left for Hollywood, Fla., to visit Mrs. Baughman's son, Proctor, a resident of that city.

Judge Meeker Terwilliger, William Radcliff, Frank Barnhill, Harry Heffner and Charles Gilmore attended the District Rotary Conference at Cincinnati, Judge Terwilliger leading a discussion on "Club Service" and William Radcliff participating in a discussion on 'Community Service."

Mrs. J. P. Moffitt and Miss Ruth Moffitt, East Franklin street, attended the annual Spring concert of the Women's Choral club of Chillicothe, presented jointly with Miss Mildred Dilling, world famous harpist, who was brought to Chillicothe by the Concert club of that city.

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10 YEARS AGO

Between 400 and 500 persons enjoyed the first annual Pickaway County Music festival presented in the Ashville high school auditorium, pupils from all schools of the county taking part.

Dr. Carl Frasure, Stoutsville native and graduate of the high school there, was to return to address the seniors at commencement exercises. He was a member of the faculty of the University of West Virginia.

Judge Roy Williams of the supreme court of Ohio made a splendid address before the Kiwanis club on 'Representative Government."

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25 YEARS AGO

Miss Katherine Eaton of Circleville had been in training in Bellvue Hospital, New York, was transferred to the General Hospital at Staten Island. She was to go from there to Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Miss Alice Yilander and Miss Mildred Weill entertained at a luncheon at the home of Miss Weill, Rose Terrace, in honor of Miss Edith Davidson, who was home from Washington, D. C., and Miss Florence Majors, a bride-elect of May.

Lewis Hohenstein was to go to Los Angeles to spend the Summer with his son, Charles Hohenstein, and family of Los Angeles, Calif.

A total of 106 veterans of World War II now are attending Illinois Institute of Technology, John F. White, co-ordinator of veterans affairs, reports.

STARS SAY—

For Tuesday, April 24

WHILE there are portents of tenacious obstacles, frustrations, delays or postponements, as well as secret, subtle and deep-laid plots and plans for under-cover attacks and enmity, yet an overwhelming force for good, with eventual gain, accompanied by much gratification and final triumph over evildoers and circumstances.

This happy climax arises from a determination to be optimistic, cheerful, amiable, and to tackle all obstacles and intrigues with equal shrewdness and strategies. A keen appreciation of values, with vigilence against all that is false and misleading, should bring splendid climax.

If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may enjoy a happy, profitable and cheerful state of affairs, whether in business or personal life, after a disheartening, disappointing and depressing chain of events. Besides delays, impediments and stubborn obstacles, there are deep and dangerous undercurrents, of malignant and treacherous roots. These may best and most effectively be circumvented by a balanced attitude with proper evaluation of all obstacles and intrigues, and a determined effort to sidestep false issues and appearances even from most alluring and intriguing sources. Be vigilant, astute and of good cheer.

A child born on this day, while having a happy and cheerful disposition, with much good will and intent, may be beset by many difficulties and duplicities, which it will eventually overcome.

RIVAL TO MY HEART

by Ann Pinchot

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SYNOPSIS

Young Gail Benton is the only woman doctor in Beauchamp. That she was a good doctor, not a man on the Thayer Hospital staff could deny—although none gave her much cooperation. Dr. Cassius McCormick, austere chief of staff, was openly resentful when she challenged his diagnosis of an obscure clinic patient named Zayle. Gail went over his head in ordering an X-ray for Zayle, and now feared the appointment as Dr. McCormick's assistant, for which she hoped, would go to Dr. Ralph Kramer. The latter has been showing more than a professional interest in Gail's wealthy young cousin, Lucienne Thayer, who was recently hospitalized for an appendectomy. Agnes and Howard Thayer, stepmother and father of Lucienne, were entertaining Howard's middle-aged sister, Reyna Thayer, who years ago had left Beauchamp after breaking her engagement to Cassius McCormick. Gail, who resents being a Thayer "poor relation," is escorted to the reception by Burke Gentry, young lawyer, with whom she is in love. At the great Thayer house, Gail deserts the party to visit Lucienne who is still confined to her room. Reyna liked Gail instantly, and wants her to meet Stephen McCormick, the doctor's recently returned war hero son. Stephen is a newcomer to Beauchamp, having lived abroad with his mother following the latter's divorce from Dr. McCormick. Burke steers Gail toward the buffet.

CHAPTER NINE

At the table, Burke busied himself filling her plate. "Not too much," she begged, "after that enormous dinner."

She felt a movement at her side, and found Reyna Thayer standing there. Reyna had put a silver fox cape on her shoulders. "Some hot coffee," she told the maid. "I'm frozen!"

Gail noticed that the fat little hand trembled as it held the cup of coffee. She said to Burke, "I think Reyna's ill."

"For Heaven's sake—" his handsome mouth tightened, "can't you ever forget your profession?"

Dr. McCormick had come out of the library, and was approaching the buffet. Quite deliberately, Reyna turned her back on him.

"Do you know Doctor McCormick?" Gail asked her. "He's the father of the Stephen McCormick you were telling me about."

Reyna glanced briefly at the doctor's tall, lean figure. "I know him, all right. I left Beauchamp thirty years ago because of him. Mr. Gentry, fetch me a Scotch and soda, will you? The coffee isn't warming me."

"I'll go with Burke," Gail said. "I really ought to call the hospital."

Reyna caught her arm. "No, stay here, my dear. As soon as I have my drink, I'll take you into the library. Steve McCormick is in there."

He was standing at the bleached pine cabinet, fiddling with the small radio. Against the background of books, modern paintings and obsolete maps, he looked tall and grave and scholarly.

"The news from the war fronts is not good tonight," the radio commentator's voice announced lugubriously.

"Turn the darned thing off, Steve!" Reyna ordered. "Just a few minutes ago, I told you about the nicest girl in Beauchamp. Well, here she is."

Gail felt the color rise in her face. "You are too good a press agent, Reyna," she chided.

"I'm not nearly good enough," Reyna said smugly. "Anyway, this is Stephen McCormick. Steve, this is Doctor Gail Benton. You couldn't choose a better doctor or a nicer girl!"

Stephen held out his right hand with a great effort. His gray eyes outlined with dark lashes, regarded them both politely. "Won't you sit down?" he asked them.

"Thank you," Reyna replied. "But I am about to fix myself a second Scotch. That is my diplomatic way of leaving you alone."

"You've now done your good deed for the day," he smiled.

He was extraordinarily pale. His dark brown hair was cut short, as if not long ago it had been shaved off. It gave him a young, schoolboyish look that was at odds with the disillusioned twist of his mouth.

"You have a perfect right to chuck me out of here after Reyna's introduction," Gail said candidly.

"Not at all," he said.

"How do you like Beauchamp, Mr. McCormick?"

He moved across the room with a stiff weary gait, and sat down beside her. "I lived in Beauchamp as a kid, you know. Have you been here long?"

"I'm a local product," she said smiling. "In fact, a tag end of the Thayer family."

"Reyna Thayer is an extraordinary woman," he said.

"You knew her in Paris, didn't you?"

"Yes, before the war; a time that seems so long ago it might never have existed." He took a silver case from his pocket and opened it. "Will you light a cigarette for me, too, please?" he asked. "I'm rather clumsy at it."

They smoked in silence. Gail knew she should be going back to the drawing room, Burke would be looking for her, but she made no move. She felt strangely at ease with this man despite his courteous aloofness. They began to talk idly, as people do to make conversation, but to her surprise she found they agreed on a good many subjects. Baseball and politics and the need for a second front and the theatre. . .

Finally they got around to her work. "Are you a general practitioner or a specialist?" he asked.

"I'm a horse and buggy doctor of the new generation," she laughed. "The buggy is a Buick with four worn tires."

"You should be riding a white charger and carrying a gleaming shield," he said, quite earnestly. "You have—shall we call it the rapt look—of a worker who is passionately devoted to her cause."

"It's nice of you to think so," she said simply.

(To be continued)

"I'm a horse and buggy doctor of the new generation," Gail told Stephen McCormick.

GRAB BAG

One-Minute Test

1. To what diplomatic post was Norman Armour appointed not so long ago?
2. Who is president of the Philippines?
3. How many major league baseball clubs are there?

Words of Wisdom

Avarice and luxury, those pests which have ever been the ruin of every great state.—Livy.

Hints on Etiquette

If you are playing games, be a sport and abide by the rules of the game.

Today's Horoscope

The person who is celebrating a birthday today has a sunny disposition and likes to be in the company of others. You are intellectual, read widely and well, and choose your friends among people with similar refined tastes. Your work is marked by intensity and enthusiasm. Do not flaunt your opinions today, or you may bring into being some personal concern. Tact and diplomacy are necessary in order to avoid the consequences of bad judgment or lack of finesse. Wisdom and tact can be repaid by happiness.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. American ambassador to Spain.
2. Sergio Osmena.
3. Sixteen.

You're Telling Me!

The Japanese government, the Tokyo radio reports, is again reshuffling the Nip generals. No matter how long the Japs shuffle 'em, all they get out of the deal is jokers.

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When the Nazi big shots take to the hills Fatso Goering is going to find all those medals a mighty big handicap for a guy who needs a fast track.

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The Nazis have destroyed their giant dirigibles. Just another big idea that went bust.

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The Nazis announce they plan to organize a band of underground saboteurs to be known as the Werewolves. No longer is "Mein Kampf" the source of their schemes—they're getting their stuff straight out of Grimm's Fairy Tales.

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The meat shortage has greatly increased our number of vegetarians, though the new members don't seem to think much of the club.

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Manhattan Gandhi says he plans to live 125 years. He's now 75. Let's see, that makes 50 more years of getting his name in the newspaper every other Tuesday.

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Not until they encountered all those German place names with unmlauts over the "O's," did many radio commentators realize what a big stumbling block two tiny dots could be.

Lysippus, Greek sculptor, who is estimated to have lived and worked in the last half of the fourth century, was said by a pupil to have been the first sculptor to represent men as they really were.

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

KEEP A FEW SECRETS

DOES A FOOTBALL captain tell the opposing team what is the weak spot in his line? Does a businessman tell a competitor the chief weakness of his products? Does either tell what is his greatest strength? Of course not. Then why should a prospective declarer tell his opponents what defensive measures are most likely to work against him? That is just what a bidding partnership does when it exchanges superfluous information which is more valuable to the other side than to its own.

North: ♠ 9 6 3 2 ♥ 10 8 ♦ A K 9 3 ♣ A Q 10

West: ♠ A 8 ♥ J 7 6 5 ♦ J 10 8 ♣ J 9 8 7

East: ♠ J 5 ♥ Q 4 3 2 ♦ 5 4 2 ♣ K 4 3 2

South: ♠ K Q 10 7 4 ♥ A K 9 ♦ Q 7 6 ♣ 6 5

(Dealer: East. Both sides vulnerable.)

East	South	West	North
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	6 ♠

After that bidding, anybody but a deaf person would realize that South's principal playing method would be getting the defenders' trumps out of the way and then try to discard some heart and club losers, if any, on the dummy's diamond suit. Hence a lead of either trumps or diamonds would be right down the declarer's alley. With that bidding, the defenders could tell their main chance to beat the contract lay in trying to pick up something in hearts or clubs before the declarer got discards. Holding the trump ace, West could see that only one such trick had to be built.

His choice was about 50-50 between hearts and clubs, and he happened to select the latter suit, because he had a bit higher cards under his J. It requires no clairvoyant now to see that the contract was doomed by his club lead, whether South played the dummy's A or the Q. One trick was certain there, and another, of course, with the trump A.

If North had been less kind to his opponents, the contract would have been made. If North, with a four-card spade fit, had forced with a double jump in that suit before Blackwooding, West would have led from his solid three-card sequence in diamonds, and the contract would have been easy, with a club later discarded on a thirteenth diamond.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ Q 9 8 6 4 ♥ A 7 5 ♦ 7 ♣ Q 9 7 3

West: ♠ K 7 ♥ Q J 10 8 6 2 ♦ J 10 6 3 2 ♣ None

East: ♠ A J 10 5 2 ♥ 9 3 ♦ Q 5 ♣ K 5 4 2

South: ♠ 3 ♥ K 4 ♦ A K 9 8 4 ♣ A J 10 8 6

(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)

What method would you prefer, to seek 5-Clubs here after West leads the heart Q?

'ROUND CIRCLEVILLE . . . . Hour by Hour

Pages From the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter:

Up chuckling over Lee Shaner's latest tall tale. Said he once owned the best bird dog in the world and even though he never entered the dog in trials he had positive proof that it was tops. Once, Lee says, he took a walk along Darby creek and the dog was along. Suddenly the dog ran to the water's edge, looked down into the water and made a perfect point. Lee was puzzled. He investigated and saw a big catfish in shallow water. He killed it with the aid of a club and took it home. Lee still was puzzled as to his dog's actions. Afraid that it was turning into a fish hound. Then he cleaned the catfish. In its stomach was a quail. Or so says Lee and I don't believe it, but did get a laugh out of the story.

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Another day of low clouds and threatening rain. Waved to George who already was at work when I ventured out and did greet George's barn cat that is anticipating blessed events and looks as though she is overdoing it. Inspected the peaches and found them still unhurt by the repeated frosts, but the field of wheat to the north was a little touched. Something about the joints being unable to stand the cold, farmers tell me. Will remember that and talk about it learnedly early next Spring. Must have something to impress Jim Stout, who with Harry Brown has a farm in the north county.

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Here comes Elliott White, the A & P manager, who last Wednesday made a crappie killing at Wayne lake and who is looking forward eagerly to his next half day off. One of the best crappie fisherman hereabouts. When they are hitting his happy laughter can be heard even above Bish Given's growls at inability to hook them before they steal his bait. Bish, however is the bass champion.

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Came a letter from Merle Crosby who is serving with a medical detachment in Germany and seeing plenty of rugged life. "I don't see how it can last much longer," he writes. "I expect Circleville is pretty dead right now, but it would look plenty good to me. I look for home-town fellows whenever I see another outfit, but so far have met only the few in my division." Merle is one of the millions of privates who are at the tag end of the buck passing and who do all the work and who have whipped the Huns and have the Japs on the run. My hat is off to them always for I appreciate what they are doing for me and the generations to come.

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All of which reminds me of a World War II tale about two hungry officers who were discussing food and eating. One of them said that eating a good meal was 90 per cent pleasure and 10 per cent work. The other officer, a little lazier, insisted that eating was 60 per cent pleasure and 40 per cent work. Unable to settle their argument they called in a buck private who insisted that eating must be 100 per cent pleasure. When asked "How come you figure that way?" he replied: "It has to be 100 per cent pleasure. If there were any work connected with it you would have me doing it."

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On through a quiet day and then home to dinner and an evening of catching up on some delayed reading.

The Banff gold course in Canada is owned and managed by the Canadian government. It is situated nearly a mile above sea level.

New York City was first divided into wards in 1683, each of the six wards with an alderman.

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Monday Club Studies 'Music Of The Gypsy'

Mrs. Defenbaugh Presents Paper At Meeting

"Music of the Gypsy" was the theme of the evening, Monday, when the Monday club met for a program in charge of the Music Division, the meeting being in the club room, Memorial hall. Preceding the excellent program, Mrs. Harold Defenbaugh presented an informative paper titled "Lands of Gaiety, Melody and Song," the paper being an effective foundation for the music of the program.

Mrs. Defenbaugh in her research found that Gypsies were so called because it was thought that they had come from Egypt, but in reality they had originated in India. She described them as a wandering folk, scattered throughout the world and stated that they have given to the world through their music, dance and song a greater degree of happiness than the measure of bitterness that has been poured out to them. Their gay colors and the mystery that surrounds them appeal to our imagination. Free from the cares and responsibilities of ordinary people, with unlimited emotional capacity, gypsies produce a type of music which cannot be transcribed correctly on paper. They have no fixed design and seldom give songs and dances twice exactly alike. A few of their songs have been preserved by means of phonograph records.

Mrs. Defenbaugh said that the violin is the Gypsy solo instrument: he can make it laugh and cry, grin and sob to suit his mood. The guitar and castanets and gypsy drums are always associated with the gypsy tribe. In the matter of rhythm, the gypsies are unsurpassed: syncopation and peculiarities of rhythm are a distinctive feature of gypsy themes. In Hungary alone gypsies have been left free and undisturbed to develop their own music of ectasy. Liszt, Brahms, Schubert and other composers have popularized gypsy music under their own names. Folk lore collectors and students of gypsy life have collected and transcribed a great many verses from the mouths of the old crones of the tribes.

Capable of changing rapidly from a frenzy of joy to deep melancholy, "Weeping, the Gypsy makes merry."

"The Gypsies" by Schumann, "Carmencita," Mexican Folk Song, and "Gypsy Maidens" by Lester were the opening selections by the Monday club chorus. Violin solo by the Rev. Carl L. Kennedy was: "Two Guitars" traditional Russian Gypsy Air; "Gypsy Moon" by Borganoff. "Dark Eyes," Russian Folk Song, "Gypsy Life, Dimitri Pokrass, were the three selections presented by the Monday club trio, Mrs. James P. Moffitt, Mrs. Clark Will and Mrs. Defenbaugh; vocal solos, "The Tilenka," Hungarian folk song, and "Rosika," Miss Rosemary Schreiner; piano duo, "Moment Tzigane" by Richardson, Miss Abbe Mills Clarke and Mrs. T. L. Huston; solos, "Habenera" and "Sequedilla" from the Opera Carmen by Bizet, Miss Eleanor Snyder; solos, "I Dreamt That I Dwelt in Marble Halls" and "Then You'll Remember Me" from the Opera Bohemian Girl, Miss Schreiner; "Play Gypsies, Dance Gypsies" by Kalman, "Gypsy Drums," Koshetz, and "Romany Life," Victor Herbert, by the Monday club chorus.

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Dinner Guests

Lieutenant and Mrs. Donald Russell of Jackson township were 6 o'clock dinner guests Monday of Mrs. William Pontius and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pontius and daughter, Betty, of West Main street. Corporal Ray Willis, who has just returned after spending two and a half years in service in India, spent the evening in the Pontius home.

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Girl Scout Court Of Awards

Girl Scout Court of Awards will be held Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the headquarters, North Court street. An interesting program has been planned. All parents of girl scouts and their friends are invited.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

GIRL SCOUT BOARD OF Directors, headquarters, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

GIRL SCOUT COURT OF Awards, headquarters, North Court street, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

PLEASANT VIEW LADIES Aid society, home Mrs. Helen Strous, Saltcreek township, Wednesday afternoon.

ART SEWING CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Wednesday at 2 p. m.

THURSDAY

GROUP H, HOME MRS. FRED Newhouse, East Main street, Thursday at 8 p. m.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS, POST room, Memorial hall, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

DRESBACH LADIES' AID SOcoiety, home Mrs. Frank Krieger, near Stoutsville, Thursday at 2 p. m. fast time.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB, club room, Masonic temple, Thursday at 6:30 p. m.

G. O. P. BOOSTERS, HOME Miss Leona Dumm, 219 Walnut street, Thursday at 8 p. m.

U. B. LADIES' AID SOCIETY, community house, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

ST. PAUL EVANGELICAL Ladies' Aid society, home Mrs. Oakley Leist, Thursday at 3 p. m.

St. Paul Ladies' Aid

Ladies' Aid society of the St. Paul Evangelical church of Washington township will meet Thursday at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Oakley Leist of that community. Members are reminded that donations are to be taken to this meetnig for the Haven-Hubbard Home.

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For the 10th consecutive year, all automobiles stolen in Rochester Minn., in 1944 were recovered by the police department.

Ohio State University

Ohio State university's college of arts and sciences has announced its Winter quarter honor list of 218 students who made 3.5 points or better out of a possible four. The list includes: Mary A. Snider Davis of this city. Ellen L. Bower and Joan L. Downing of Circleville are Winter quarter honor students in agriculture and home economics at the university, the two having averages of B or better. Jerald E. Mason of Circleville has a grade of B or better and is reported as an honor student at the university's college of engineering for the Winter quarter on the freshman list. James Reicheldorfer, Circleville, made the honor list of school of commerce and administration at the university as did also James A. Mowery and Jessie A. Mowery, of the Kingston vicinity.

Other Pickaway county students at the university in addition to those previously reported for the Autumn and Winter quarters include: E. Maxine Canter, Ashville; Evelyn M. Hill and Mary Crites Jones, Circleville; Charles A. Flowers, Commercial Point; Byron B. Stinson, New Holland, and Dwight A. Black, Orient.

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Twenty-Fifth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Hulse, East Union street, will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday at their home. Miss Bonita Hulse of Columbus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hulse, is planning an open house in honor of her parents for Sunday between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulse were married April 28, 1920, in Waverly by the Rev. Hiram Runyan, Mrs. Hulse being the former Ida Cartright.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hulse are active members of the Presbyterian church of this city.

Pleasant View Aid

Pleasant View Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday at the regular hour at the home of Mrs. Helen Strous, Saltcreek township. Mrs. Harley Roll will be assisting hostess.

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Art Sewing Club

Mrs. Chester Valentine, Saltcreek township, will entertain members of the Art Sewing club Wednesday at 2 p. m. at Mrs. Marion's party home, South Court street.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hedges of Washington township had as their guests Sunday Mrs. George Ratcliff, Betty Lou Hedges, Mary Elizabeth Larrick of Lancaster; T/Sgt. Elbert Larrick, Grenier Field, Manchester, N. H.; Jack Larrick and six of his classmates of Ohio State university, Columbus.

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Mrs. Dorothy Harris, Lakeside, has returned home after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. D. Closson, North Pickaway street.

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Mrs. Harry Merz and daughter, Margie, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gall and family at their home in Portsmouth.

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W. E. Hall, Miss Sarah Fraley of Ashville and Miss Laura Fischer, Columbus, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hall, Sr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hall, Jr., and Darwin Hall of near Ashville.

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Mrs. Vernon Wenger and daughter, Suzanne, of Massillon are visiting at the home of Mrs. Wenger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mader, East Main street.

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Mrs. Theodore Huston, Stoutsville, has returned home from Cleveland where she attended Grand Opera.

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Mrs. Charles Plum and son, David, of St. Louis, Mo., are spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Plum, North Court street.

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DANVILLE, Pa., — Lottie Whipple was spotlighted in her hometown newspaper for planting a victory garden at the age of 86. The paper pointed out that she is striving to reach 100 and added. "We have reserved this corner for her 14 years from now and it will be in big type if she makes it."

SWEETWATER, Tex—If PFC. Vance Jobe of the U. S. Marines feels like reliving his experiences in the war, he'll have a good chance to do it. An aerial photographer in the Marine Corps, Jobe has taken more than 600 photographs of his battle experiences.

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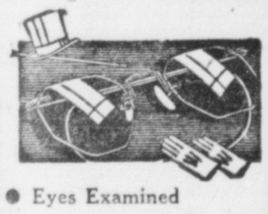
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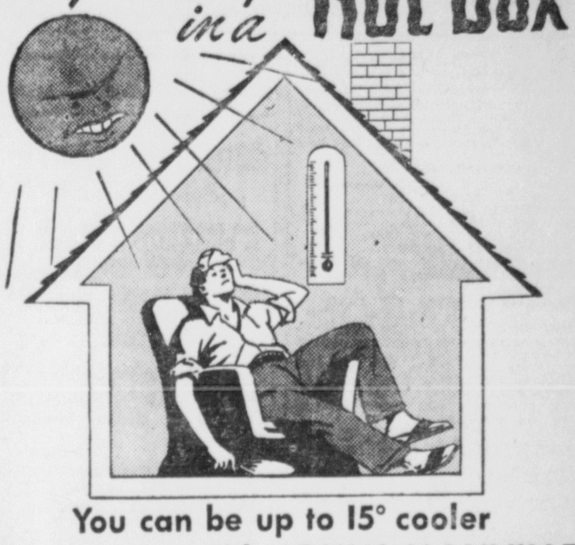
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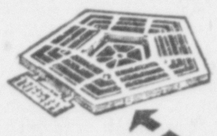
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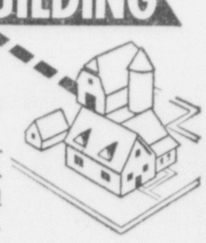
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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy shown us at the death of our aunt, Miss Clara B. Woolever. Those who gave flowers and assisted in any way, we assure them all has been deeply appreciated.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Cornelia Hairston Lowery, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that E. A. Smith of Circleville, Ohio, has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Cornelia Hairston Lowery, deceased, late of Pickaway County, Ohio.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1945.
STERLING M. LAMB,
Probate Judge of said County.
April 24, May 1, 8.

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Public Sales

No charge for publication of sales under this heading where regular advertising has been ordered in The Herald. Set your date early and get the benefit of this extra publication.

WEDNESDAY, April 25
At 422 Eastern Ave., Washington C. H., at 1 o'clock, Roy Robinette. W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, April 26
On CCC highway, one mile west of business district in Washington C. H. Mary Davis. W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, April 26
At residence of Geo. W. Hartsough in Laurelville, commencing at 10 o'clock, Cora E. Harsh, guardian. Merle Federer, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, April 28
At residence, one mile west of S. Bloomfield on S. R. 104 at 1 o'clock. Harriett Eaglin, C. G. Chalfin, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, April 28
At residence, 2 miles south of Madison school, 5½ miles east of Ashville, 1 mile north of S. R. 752, on Madison school road, beginning at 12:30. Daniel Runkle. Harry A. Behrens, auctioneer.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF HEARING
FOR PAROLE

Case Nos. 4433-4434-8146. William Brown, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary, Columbus, admitted from Pickaway County, convicted January, 1937, of the crime of Burglary and Larceny (2 concurrent sentences) and serving a sentence of 1 to 15 years is eligible for a hearing before the PARDON AND PAROLE COMMISSION, on or after June 1st, 1945.

PARDON AND PAROLE COMMISSION
By D. J. Bonzo,
Parole and Record Clerk.
April 17, 24.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Linnie Brown, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Orrin W. Brown of 188 Henderson Rd., Columbus, Ohio, and Karl T. Brown of Circleville, Rt. 4, Ohio, have been duly appointed Executors of the Estate of Linnie Brown, deceased, late of Pickaway County, Ohio.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1945.
STERLING M. LAMB,
Probate Judge of said County.
April 17, 24, May 1.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
No. 14749
Estate of Salena R. Ripley, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that Eunice R. Harding of Circleville, Ohio, has been duly appointed Executrix of the estate of Salena R. Ripley late of Pickaway County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1945.
STERLING M. LAMB,
Judge of the Probate Court,
Pickaway County, Ohio.
April 24, May 1, 8.

FEW PITCHERS EXPECTED TO WIN 20 GAMES

Six Hurlers Have Chance To Reach Goal; Vets Show Up Good

NEW YORK, April 24—What are the chances of a pitcher winning 20 or more games in this talent-rationed major league baseball season?

Using 1944's war-time standards as a yard-stick the outlook is pretty slim, even though the batting isn't as sharp or as consistent as the pre-Pearl Harbor variety.

Last year in the American League only two of the 75 pitchers who were in 10 or more games passed the golden "20" mark, a ratio of less than one man in every 37. In the National there were only four who got beyond 20 victories out of the 75 pitchers who appeared in 10 or more games, an average of one man in every 19.

Today, with the season less than a week old, there are six bonafide hopefuls, three in the American and three in the National, who have a definite edge because each has won two games already. All of them, Hank Borowy of the Yankees, Russ Christopher of the Athletics, Paul (Dizzy) Trout of the Tigers, Bill Voiselle of the Giants, Paul Derringer of the Cubs and Curt Davis of the Dodgers, pitched creditably enough to indicate they aren't just early "Spring bloomers."

All but Voiselle went the route in both games and he had to have help in only one inning. He and Trout are the only members of the sextet who got beyond 20 victories last year. Voiselle, who won 21 games, is right on schedule as compared with 1944 when he won his second game April 22. Trout is more than two weeks ahead of last year when he didn't notch victory number two until May 10, then made up for lost time and finished with 27 wins.

Two of the other big six winners of 1944 may be left at the post unless they get going. Neither Morton Cooper of the Cardinals nor Bucky Walters of the Reds has turned in a victory as yet and the others, Hal Newhouser of the Tigers and Truett (Rip) Sewell of the Pirates have only one each, coupled with a defeat apiece.

Of the six 1945 early birds, Christopher the "string-bean" righthander of the A's is farthest ahead of his 1944 schedule, when he didn't win his second game until June 18. He went on to capture 14 victories. The big surprise is 40-year-old Derringer, the "spark-plug" of the "heads-up" Cubs. In 1944 he won only eight games all year and didn't get his second victory until May 26. Davis, probably the only pitcher of major league caliber with the nondescript Dodgers, got his second 1944 victory on May 2 and went on to win 10 for the year.

Borowy, a consistent winner, never has reached the "20" mark but believes this may be his year. His second victory in 1944 was on April 26 and he went on to pick up 17 wins.

Although most pitchers haven't fared as well as they did in the first week of 1944 there are more two game winners. Last year there were only four at this time. In addition to Voiselle there were Harry Brecheen and George Munger of the Cardinals and Jack Kramer of the Browns.

For pitchers who aspire to 15 or more victories the chances are better although only a few of the 151 in the 10 games or more category made the grade last year.

In the American league there were seven, Newhouser with 29, Trout 27, Borowy 17, Kramer 17, Cecil (Tex) Hughson of the Red Sox 18, Nelson Potter of the Browns 19, and Bill Dietrich of the White Sox 16. In the National 11 pitchers won 15 or more. They were Walters with 23, Cooper 22, Sewell 21, and Voiselle 21, Ted Wilks of the Cards 17, Max Lanier of the Cards 17, Brecheen 16, Claude Passeau of the Cubs 15, Hank Wise of the Cubs 16, Jim Tobin of the Braves 18, and Nate Andrews of the Braves 16. That was a ratio of one pitcher in every seven in the National and less than one in 10 in the American.

There were no games scheduled in either league yesterday.

PUBLIC SALE

Cora E. Harsh, guardian for Geo. W. Hartsough, will sell at public auction, at the residence in Laurelville, on

Thurs., April 26, 1945

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., the following personal property:

HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES

One living room suite; 1 solid walnut organ; 1 oak davenport; 1 oak sideboard; one 6-ft. extension table; 6 dining room chairs; 5 rocking chairs; 1 Zenith electric radio; 8 kitchen chairs; 1 Seth Thomas clock; 4 stands; 1 mirror, 18x40; 1 mirror, 12x20; 1 antique cord bed; 3 wooden beds and springs; 1 iron bed; 1 cot; 1 antique bureau; 2 antique clocks; 1 chest; 1 wash stand; 1 chiffonier; porch furniture and numerous other articles; 1 Kalamazoon combination gas and coal or wood range; 1 large drop-leaf table; 1 kitchen cabinet; 2 antique cupboards; 1 step-stool; 1 electric toaster; 1 Wardway electric washer; 1 electric iron; dishes and cooking utensils; garden and other tools; 1 lot oak boards; one 6-ft. step-ladder; 1 pair curtain stretchers; 1 pair quilting frames; several dozen E-Z seal jars; 1 electric sweeper; 1 ironing table; one 11-3x15 Brussels rug; one 9x12 velvet rug; one 9x11-3 Axminster rug; two 9x12 linoleum rugs.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH

Cora A. Harsh,
Guardian.

Merle Federer, auctioneer.

FELLER TO PITCH AGAINST NORTHWESTERN 9 TODAY

EVANSTON, Ill., April 24—Chief Specialist Bob Feller, coach of the Great Lakes baseball team, pitches his first ball in two years in the continental U. S. today in a practice game with Northwestern university.

The former Cleveland Indian star will appear for Great Lakes with at least three other major leaguers—Johnny Gorsica, former Detroit Tigers' pitcher, Pinky Higgins, also of Detroit, and Ken Keltner, a former teammate at Cleveland.

BAD WEATHER CONTINUES TO PLAGUE AA MEMBERS

By United Press

Bad weather which has plagued the American Association all during its first week of the 1945 season, forced the cancellation of all but one contest yesterday.

Kansas City whipped Minneapolis 5-1 behind the two-hit pitching of John F. Mahnen.

No games were scheduled today.

HAMMOND, Ind.—The return of the prodigals—this time two of them—was welcomed by their parents. Norma Jean Keith, 14, and Robert Relpinstine, 17, eloped seven months ago and had not been heard from until recently when they came home.

SELECTION OF BASEBALL CZAR MAY BE DELAYED

CLEVELAND, April 24—Major league baseball begins its own "San Francisco" conference today when the 16 club owners begin deliberating again in an effort to select a high commissioner who may rule the destiny of the sport for many years after the war is ended.

They met considerably less hopeful of accomplishing their purpose than the world diplomats who will begin their momentous conference tomorrow at San Francisco.

Chances of agreement upon one man who can muster the 12 votes necessary to elect a commissioner hinged upon a last minute compromise. Failing in that, the owners are almost certain to delay the selection of a successor to the late Judge Kenesaw M. Landis until after the war.

There were two distinct factions, both equally reluctant to relax their demands. One, led by Col. Larry MacPhail, new head of the Yankee organization of New York, wants no further delay in the selection of a man. MacPhail and his adherents publicly have acclaimed Ford Frick, president of the National League, as the top choice, although they probably would settle for former postmaster general James A. Farley, now a soft-drink company executive.

The other group led by Clark Griffith, head of the Washington Senators, and having most of its strength in the American League, wants to table action until after the war when a dominant national figure, possibly a returning war hero or an outstanding statesman, would be available.

KINGSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fouch and Miss Margaret Cobb passed the week end with Doyle Fouch at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Doyle is stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Kingston

Mrs. Charles Roby received word this week that her grandson Charles Roby who has been missing in action in Belgium since December 19 is a prisoner in Germany.

Kingston

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans, Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond Davis, Mrs. Bernice Immell and son, Dickie, enjoyed a chicken dinner at the Fox Farm Monday.

Kingston

Mr. and Mrs. Nye Immell of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Routt, of Chillicothe, and Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Routt of Dayton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Routt.

Kingston

Mrs. Raymond Beavers is reported getting along nicely at Grant hospital, Columbus. Mrs. Beavers is a surgical patient, having submitted to a goitre operation.

Kingston

Mrs. L. E. Hill was returned to her home Saturday after being a surgical patient at the St. Francis hospital in Columbus.

Kingston

Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond Davis left Wednesday for Foster Field, Victoria, Texas, after passing a two-week leave with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans.

Kingston

Mrs. Ira Korst and daughter, Nancy, of Chillicothe, entertained at dinner Thursday at Lake White in honor of Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Victoria, Texas.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Corliss Immell and the honor guests Sgt. and Mrs. Davis.

Kingston

Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans and Mrs. C. E. Lyons and daughter, Rose Mary, passed the week end in Toledo with Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Simons and family.

4H CLUB NEWS in Pickaway County

Washington Hill Climbers

Washington township Hill Climbers 4-H club met April 18 at the home of Glenn Storts. Seventeen members were present, seven being new members of the club. Billy Richards was appointed to give a report on selection of a dairy heifer. Earl Palm will give an account of a trip which several members attended at WOSU.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Jack and Billy Stout on May 1.

Refreshments were served by the host.

Billy Stout,
News Reporter.

Junior Farmers

The Junior Farmers 4-H club of Monroe township held its first meeting Tuesday, April 17, at the Monroe school building. During the meeting we elected officers, Adrian Liston being named president; Kenneth Reid, vice president; Bill Snyder, second vice president; Arthur Dick, secretary; Bob Dennis, treasurer, and James Fleming, news reporter.

After the meeting, recreation was furnished by F. K. Blair. It was announced that the next club meeting would be at the Fleming home.

James Fleming,
News Reporter.

Saltcreek Victory Stitchers

Saltcreek Victory Stitchers 4-H club held its first meeting April 18 at 11:15 a. m. in the Saltcreek School building. There were nine members present. We have three new members in our club, Betty Hart, Eyvonne Minor and Marabel Huffman. We elected our officers, Jean Dearth, president; Barbara Moss, vice president; Marjorie Dearth, secretary; Wilma Speakman, treasurer; Barbara Hupp, recreation leader, and Florence Lutz, news reporter.

We will hold second and third meetings after school.

Barbara Moss, Wilma Speakman, Betty Hart and Florence Lutz are going to make cotton dresses. Mrs. Dearth is our leader and Mrs. Harley Lutz, assistant leader.

Florence Lutz
news reporter

Do It Yourself Club

Monroe township 4-H girls met April 17 at 8:30 p. m. to reorganize the "Do It Yourself Sewing Club." There were 17 members present at the meeting.

The following officers were elected: Mary K. Kern, president; Ann Neff, vice president; Jeanne Haller, secretary; Helen Winfough, treasurer; Joann Hildenbrand, news reporter, Mrs. Charles Hosler, advisor.

The next meeting will be May 17 in the Monroe school building at 8:30 p. m., fast time.

Joann Hildenbrand,
News Reporter.

HOPE BEATS CROSBY

ARCADIA, Calif., April 23—Comedian Bob Hope teamed with Olin Dutra and Babe Zaharias to defeat Crooner Bing Crosby, Lt. Ben Hogan and Betty Jameson, 6 up, in a golf benefit match over the sporty Santa Anita golf club links yesterday. The six celebrities attracted 5,000 milling fans, who donated $3,500 to the A. W. V. S. for its war welfare work.

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On The Air

TUESDAY

4:00 House Party, WBNS; Backstage Wife, WLW
4:30 Milt Herth Trio, WCOL; Lorenzo Jones, WLW
5:00 News, WBNS; Terry and the Pirates, WCOL
5:30 Treasury Parade, WBNS; Just Plain Bill, WLW
6:00 News, WBNS; Preview, WCOL
6:30 Man Hunt, WBNS; Lum and Abner, WLW
7:00 News, WCOL; Supper Club, WLW
7:30 American Melody Hour, WBNS; One Man's Family, WCOL
8:00 Big Town, WBNS; Johnny Presents, WLW
8:30 A Date With Judy, WLW; Roy Rogers, WHKC
9:00 Mystery Theatre, WLW; Inner Sanctum, WBNS
9:30 This Is My Best, WBNS; Fibber McGee and Molly, WLW
10:00 Service To the Front, WBNS, Bob Hope, WLW
10:30 Hildegarde, WLW, Wings Of Tomorrow, WHKC
11:00 News, WBNS; Military Band, WCOL
11:30 Metropolitan Opera, WCOL; Johnny Long's Band, WHKC

WEDNESDAY

12:00 Kate Smith, WBNS; Glamor Manor, WCOL
12:30 Helen Trent, WBNS; News, WLW
1:00 Life Can Be Beautiful, WBNS; News, WCOL
1:30 News, WBNS; Luncheon Music, WCOL
2:00 Two On A Clue, WBNS; Guiding Light, WLW
2:30 Perry Mason, WBNS; Woman In White, WLW
3:00 Mary Marlin, WBNS; OPA Reporter, WCOL
3:30 Pepper Young, WLW; The Smoothies, WHKC
4:00 House Party, WBNS; Backstage Wife, WLW
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5:30 Treasury Parade, WBNS; Just Plain Bill, WLW
6:00 News, WBNS; Preview, WCOL
6:30 Lone Ranger, WHKC; Jones Orchestra, WBNS
7:00 Jack Kirkwood, WBNS; Supper Club, WLW
7:30 News, WHKC; Ellery Queen, WBNS
8:00 Jack Carson, WBNS; The Norths, WLW
8:30 Counterspy, WCOL; Carton of Cheers, WLW
9:00 Sinatra, WBNS; Eddie Cantor, WLW
9:30 Which Is Which, WBNS; District Attorney, WLW
10:00 Great Moments In Music, WBNS; Kay Kyser, WLW
10:30 News, WCOL; Milton Berle, WBNS
11:00 Military Band, WCOL; News, WBNS
11:30 Goodman Band, WHKC; Dance Music, WBNS

KYSER OPENS PEACE MEET

When representatives of the United Nations meet for their history-making conclave at San Francisco Wednesday, they will find themselves foregathering to the serenading strains of Kay Kyser and his "College of Musical Knowledge". The Ol' Professor will be on hand to help welcome the Allies by playing for the Navy Distribution and Receiving Base on San Francisco's Treasure Island that day. Kyser will be accompanied by his entire troupe; Carroll, Don Leslie, Dolly Mitchell, Eddie Marr, the Town Criers, and his new singing discovery, Michael Dowd. Plans at the moment call for the troupe's advance sojourn in the city to help the Navy with its preliminary entertainment functions.

GARGAN GUEST M. C.

Inaugurating a new policy of weekly guest emcees, William Gargan presides over the fun-laden personality quiz, "Which Is Which," Wednesday. The voices—or voice doubles—of Walter Huston, Gail Patrick, Akim Tamiroff, and Carmen Miranda will be heard in addition to a "mystery guest."

SPORT EDITOR AIDS QUEEN

Orlo Robertson, general sports editor of the Associated Press and for many years the wire service's horse racing authority, will be the guest armchair detective for Ellery Queen's "Adventure of the Dangerous Race," Wednesday. Robertson will apply his professional skill to a solution of an Ellery Queen thriller in which an attempt is made to kill "Outcast," a sensational race horse, at the San Perro Handicap in Mexico.

NORTH'S ALMOST REMARRY

A wedding knot becomes a noose to hang a killer when "The Norths Have A Shotgun Wedding" on Wednesday. With Spring in the air, the sleuthing duo decide to revisit one of the romantic spots of their courtship. Tender memories are interrupted by a couple of gansters who mistake the Norths for another couple and, with the help of an absent-minded justice of peace, try to marry them off to each other at pistol point. Before the Norths find an explanation for the goings-on, they find that they have a curious corpse to investigate, too. Alice Frost and Joseph Curtin co-star in the thriller, and John W. Loveton directs.

RADIO NEWS NOTES

April has always been Maybelle Prindaville's favorite month and the April of 1945 goes down in her books as a very special one! She's not only scored a major success as "Carol Brent" in the daytime serial, "The Road of Life," but she's had offers from the movies. Best of all, she's being married shortly. The lucky man is Hollywood's Lew Lauria, publisher of a Radio Artists Directory. Miss Prindaville will withdraw from "The Road of Life" as soon as another suitable actress is found and before April is out she'll be Mrs. Lauria and quite possibly in front of movie cameras.

Recent romancing has been reported between vivacious Paula Stone, ace commentator, and one of Uncle Sam's Air Corps officers. He flies from one interesting land to another—always sending Miss Stone a gift from his last destination. In the last week she's received a prayer rug from Arabia, a beaded jacket from Jerusalem, gloves from Rome and an exotic necklace from Persia.

More and more boys stationed overseas are writing their appreciation to Roy Acuff and the Smoky Mountain Boys for their home and fireside type songs and music, since the Saturday "Grand Ole Opry" is being rebroadcast by short wave to the armed forces everywhere. They are especially fond of the inspiring spiritual numbers Roy uses.

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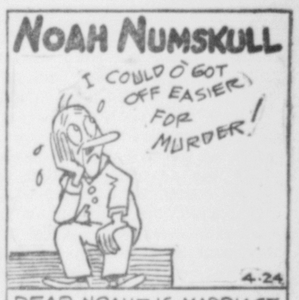
ROOM AND BOARD By GENE AHERN

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. SCOTT



DEAR NOAH- IS MARRIAGE THE ONLY LIFE SENTENCE THAT HAS NO HOPE OF PAROLE?
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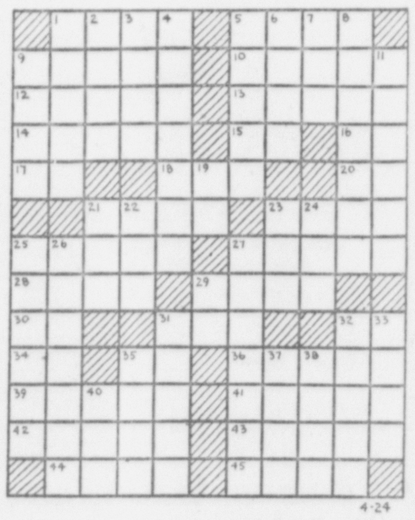
CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Bivalve mollusk
5. Blemish
9. Transitory state
10. Gallops slowly
12. Anxious
13. Right angles to ship's keel
14. Type of hemp
15. Negative reply
16. Music note
17. Coordinating conjunction
18. Writing fluid
20. Music note
21. Narrow roadway
23. Urge on
25. Simpletons
27. Bodies of water
28. Poke around
29. Set-to
30. Mulberry
31. Peruse
32. Masurium (sym.)
34. Crown of India (Abbr.)
35. Gallium (sym.)
36. Satan
39. Coral reef
41. Banishment
42. A rock-garden plant
43. Skating arenas
44. Observes
45. Remain

DOWN
1. Seat
2. Loiters
3. On the ocean
4. Pigeon hawks
5. Expressionless
6. Wolf (Sp.)
7. Open (poet.)
8. Weepy
9. Dollar (So. Am.)
11. Daubs
19. Neon (sym.)
21. Game at cards
22. High (mus.)
23. Coin (Fr.)
24. Kettle
25. Uproar
26. Type of limestone (pl.)
27. Muses
29. Board of Ordnance (Abbr.)
31. Soothes
32. Like milk
33. Malt beverages
35. Adhesive substance
37. Egress
38. Musical instrument (E. Ind.)
40. Poem

Yesterday's Answer



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TONIGHT

5:00 NEWS
5:15 Off Beats
5:30 Tennessee Jed
5:45 Dancetime
6:00 JIM COOPER
6:15 EDWIN C. HILL
6:30 Manhunt
6:45 WORLD TODAY
6:55 BOB TROUT
7:00 Jack Kirkwood
7:15 Music That Satisfies
7:30 American Melody Hour
8:00 Big Town
8:30 Romance
8:55 BILL HENRY
9:00 Inner Sanctum
9:30 This Is My Best
10:00 Service To Front
10:30 Congress Speaks
10:45 Behind the Scenes
11:00 NEWS, McKINNON
11:15 Night Club
11:30 When Day Is Done
12:00 NEWS
12:05 Buffalo Presents
12:30 Dance Orchestra

TOMORROW A. M.

6:00 Farm Hour
6:45 Fun Fest
7:00 Staff Orchestra
7:30 JIM COOPER
7:45 Early Worm
8:00 NEWS of the WORLD
8:15 Early Worm
8:50 McKINNON, NEWS
9:00 Early Worm
9:30 Round Robin
9:45 Jack Pot
10:00 Valiant Lady
10:15 Light of the World
10:30 Evelyn Winters
10:45 Bachelor's Children
11:00 Amanda
11:15 Second Husband
11:30 Bright Horizon
11:45 Aunt Jenny

TOMORROW P. M.

12:00 Kate Smith
12:15 Big Sister
12:30 Helen Trent
12:45 Our Gal Sunday
1:00 Life Beautiful
1:15 Ma Perkins
1:30 JIM COOPER
1:45 Dr. Malone
2:00 Two On A Clue
2:15 Organ Matinee
2:30 Perry Mason
2:45 Tina and Tim
3:00 WBNS Presents
3:15 Editor's Daughter
3:30 Linda's First Love
3:45 Hearts in Harmony
4:00 House Party
4:30 Round Robin Review
4:45 Doris Lee

WBNS
1460 KILOCYCLES

Old Clothing Collection To Be Made In Circleville Wednesday

CITY RESIDENTS ASKED TO HAVE CLOTHES READY

Volunteers Will Pick Up Bundles Left On Porches, Curbs

Six trucks will cover Circleville picking up old clothing donations Wednesday afternoon. The trucks, under the supervision of Wallace Crist, will start at 1 p. m. from the collection depot in the Pythian Castle shortly after noon. Rotarians, Kiwanians and Boy Scouts will accompany the trucks around the city routes picking up the clothing bundles.

The trucks will cover specific sections of the city. Under this system the collection will be made at approximately the same time in every district. The volunteers will solicit each house.

To facilitate the collection housewives are requested to place their donation on the front porch or some other sheltered convenient place. This will aid the workers in so far as time required to personally contact each one will be conserved.

The old clothing will be processed at the central collection depot by women volunteers and the Girl Scouts. The chairman of the processing committee, Alice Ada May, will be aided also by John Bolander and Harold Limbach. At the central depot the old clothing will be sorted and packaged for shipping.

Anyone who will be unable to make their donation on Wednesday and be unable to leave their bundle out for the collectors is asked to call Wallace Crist. Mr. Crist has said that he would try to make additional arrangements for these parties.

All summer and winter clothing such as: men's, women's, children's and infant's wear; shoes; overcoats, topcoats, suits, dresses, skirts, jackets, pants, work clothes, gloves, underwear, sleeping garments, robes, sweaters, shawls and all knit goods. Blankets, bedclothes and bedding is desperately needed.

High heel or open toe or heel shoes are not needed. Evening clothes such as formal dresses and tuxedoes are not wanted. Ladies hats are not needed nor are men's derby hats.

Clothing may be taken to the central depot if it is convenient to do so. The central collection station will be open until May 1.

Collections will be made at the county schools on Thursday. It is urged that the old clothing be sent to the school nearest your home or be sent with your own or neighbor's children.

The clothing need not be packaged but must be tied into bundles to avoid, in so far as possible, loss, damage or dirt. Clothing must be clean but need not be pressed or ironed.

Lloyds of London once sold ships by candle. When a vessel was being auctioned, says Ships magazine, a stump of candle was lighted. The instant the flame went out, the highest bidder at the moment got the ship.

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Canning Pressure gauges tested free at the Gas Company, Circleville, Ohio Wednesday, April 25th from 2 until 4 p. m. Bring entire canner. —ad.

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William Osborne, who had been a patient for major surgery in Berger hospital, was removed Tuesday to his home, 425 East Main street.

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The Elks Club will sponsor a games party at the home on North Court street Wednesday night beginning at 8:30. Everyone invited. —ad.

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Mrs. Edna Fullen, Williamsport Route 2, was admitted Monday as a medical patient to Berger hospital.

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Paul Gaines of Logan street, a patient in Berger hospital for treatment of injuries suffered in an automobile-motorcycle collision, is reported to be making an excellent recovery.

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Mrs. Stanley Peters, South Court street, is a patient in Grant hospital, Columbus, instead of St. Anthony as reported previously. Mrs. Peters, who is in room 205, is doing well after major surgery.

Canberra, Australia, was the first city in the world to be planned completely before construction began. It was designed in Chicago by Burley Griffin, an American architect, who won the honor in international competition.

The Encyclopedia Britannica Year Book claims parrots do not know what they are talking about. The talk of a parrot is nothing but a mimetic function, it says.

GARBAGE PLANS ARE DISCUSSED

Canvass To Be Made In City To Obtain Subscribers For Proposed Program

Costs and tentative plans for the operation of a municipal garbage collection system in Circleville were formulated at a meeting of the city council health committee and civic organizations Monday night.

Collections will be made, under the system when it is put in operation, twice a week for garbage and once a month for trash. The cost of the collections will be $3.00 quarterly, in advance, or if paid by the year in advance a ten percent discount will be allowed.

The plans are a composite of a number of plans that are in operation in cities of comparative size to Circleville. These plans were gathered by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The collection will be made under the supervision of the city. How the collection will be made will have to be determined by the city council. Council plans to act on the matter as soon as all information has been gathered and presented.

Circleville civic organizations, Rotary, Kiwanis, Jaycees, Child Conservation League and the Business and Professional Women's Clubs have agreed to help set up the program. The community has been divided into quarters and each of the civic groups has been assigned to a section. The groups will conduct a house to house canvass of all homes in the city to enlist subscribers for the proposed garbage collection.

The collection system has the endorsement of all the city civic groups. The reason for the canvass is to determine how many of the city's residents are willing to subscribe to the collection.

A percentage of advance collections are necessary to insure the success of the system. Capital investments will be necessary to provide means to collect the garbage. Trucks must be acquired and drivers and workers for the trucks hired.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666
Cold Preparations as directed

NEWS Behind the NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

(Continued from Page Four)

with these fundamental conclusions of the government. The alternative to Dumbarton Oaks is not necessarily chaos or another world war. Rather it is bi-lateral agreements or hemisphere defense or spheres of influence maintained by individual understandings and alliances and substitute courses for peace.

These do not necessarily require wars, or make them any more likely than a weak or impractical formula for a league, containing, as this one does, the right of big nations to veto any interference with their own wars—and no disarmament.

It is unreasonable to say that unless any specific course is followed there will be another world war, or, as the emotional extremist Mr. Wallace, to contend that anyone who is against his tariff views is "alvocating another world war." Nonsense propaganda of this nature might trap the administration later if San Francisco fails of its hopes in any particular by leading people un-necessarily to rush into another war.

But failure at San Francisco is unlikely. Whether or not the course is best, a rather general domestic political agreement for it has already been reached. No opposition is expressing itself anywhere. Doubters have been content to say: "Try it if you will, although we do not believe it can possibly justify your expectations of preventing future wars."

Nineteen generals in the U. S. Army are natives of Arkansas, including Gen. of Army Douglas MacArthur, and seven flag officers in the U. S. Navy are native Arkansans.

Canadian National Telegraphs transmitted 8,752,000 revenue landline messages and 418,000 revenue cables during 1944.

ROUTE 4 FAMILY TREATED AFTER DOG FOUND MAD

Six persons Tuesday were receiving treatments after being exposed to a rabid dog. The dog's head was found to have been rabid by the state health board Monday.

Ralph Eddington, his wife and baby daughter, two older daughters Janice and Guinivere and Wayne Stewart, a neighbor, Route 4, Circleville, were treated Monday evening by Dr. Lloyd Jonnes.

Chief W. F. McCrady Tuesday warned all dog owners that animals which have not been given anti-rabies treatment must be penned up. He called attention to the fact that there is a quarantine in effect in Circleville and in the county and that all dogs found running at large without tags showing they have been treated will be shot. He said that several dogs have been shot in the last few days by police.

Although 26 fillies have been entered in Kentucky Derby races since 1875, only one filly ever won $34,093 and was the 1915 champion. Retired to stud in 1917, she never produced a really high-class horse. She died in 1934.

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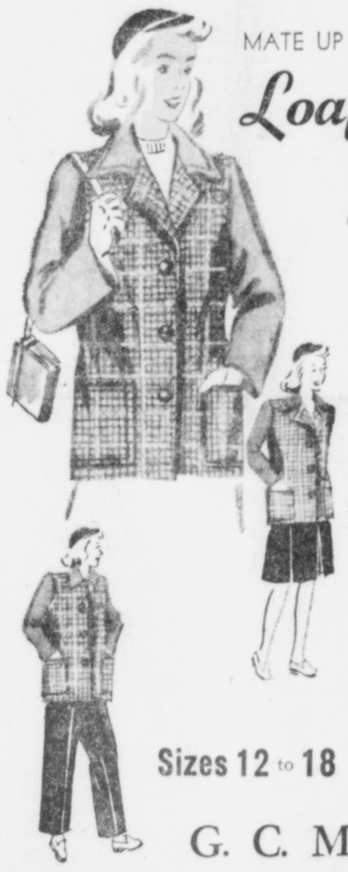

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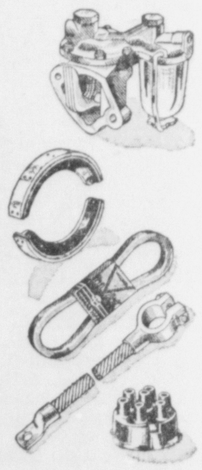

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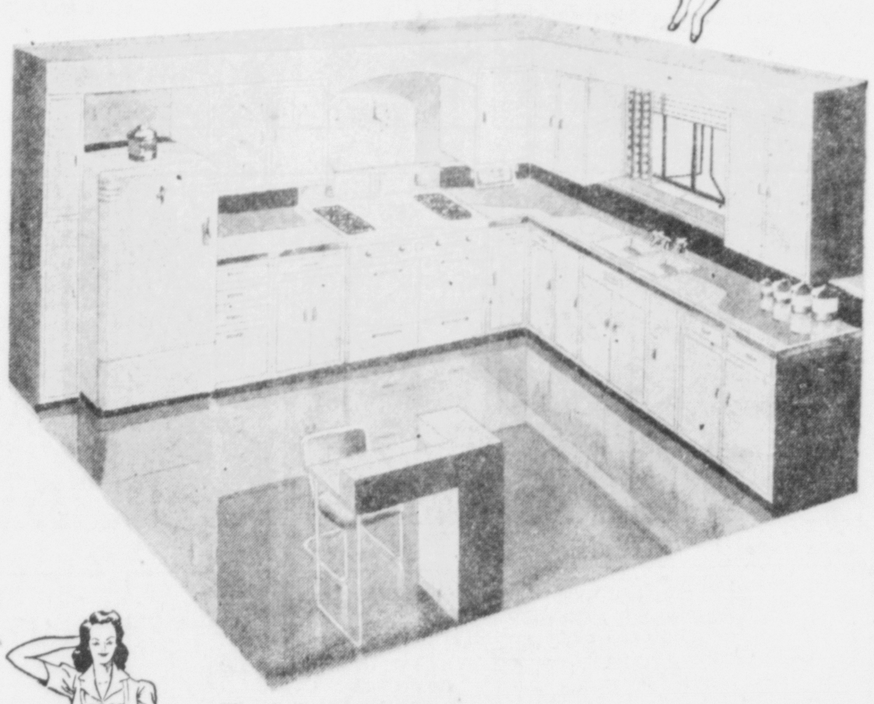

There's been a lot of talk about your postwar kitchen. They're pictured as beautiful creations — colorful, convenient and sometimes colossal! But, if you're like most of us, you have "orchid tastes and a dandelion pocket-book!" That being the case, let's get down to earth, Mrs. Homemaker, and plan your postwar Gas kitchen that will suit your budget as well as your needs. It can be a thing of beauty, too, ... and a joy, just about forever, *without costing a small fortune!*

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